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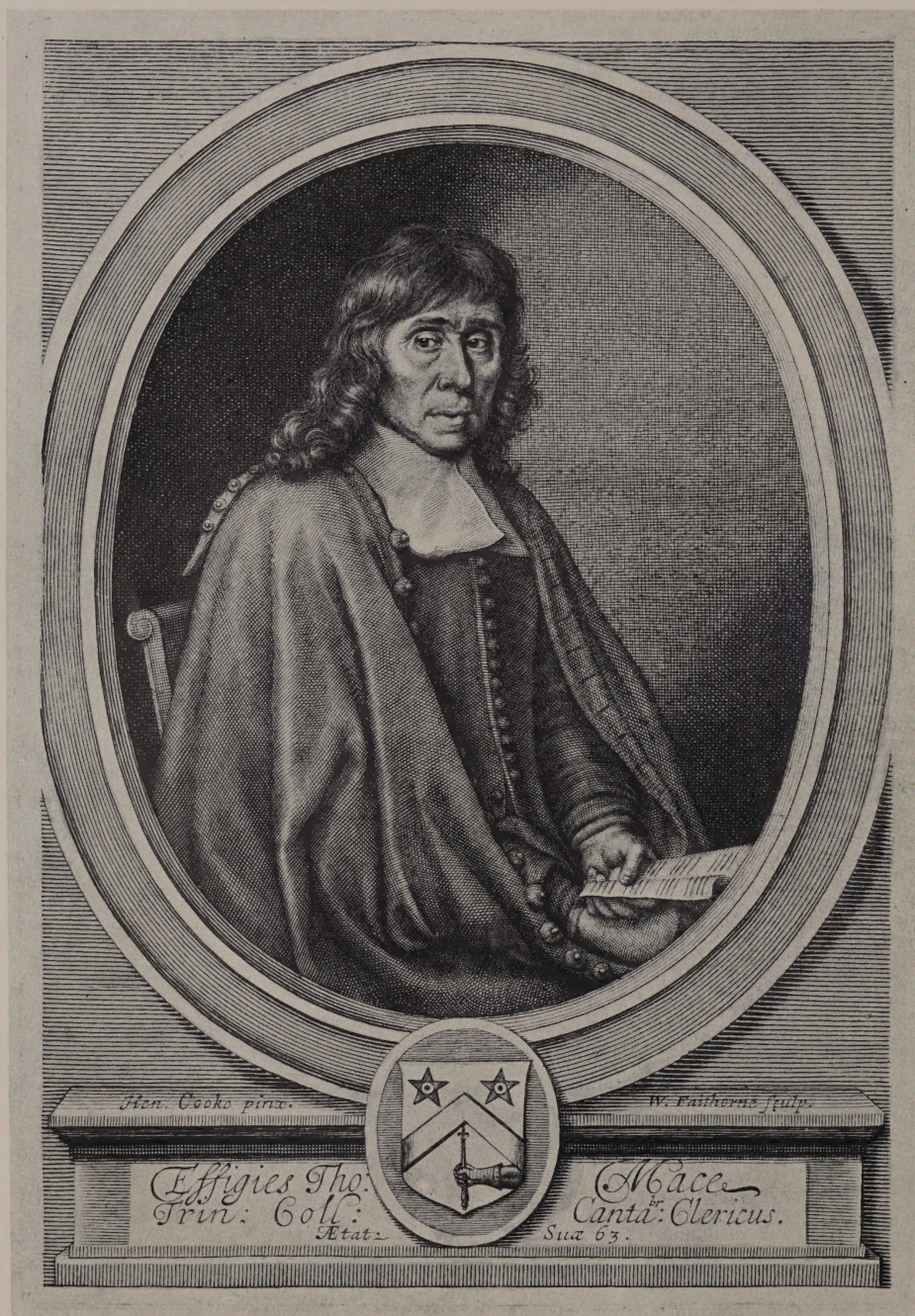
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A GREAT LITERARY DISCOVERY.

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(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXI).

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In the “Cambridge History of English Literature” it is stated that “Machiavelli's ‘Arte of Warre’ was Englished by Peter Whitehorne in 1560, and his Florentine Historie by Thomas Bedingfield, 1598—BUT THAT THERE IS NO PRINCE IN ENGLISH UNTIL 1640, AND THUS WE ARE CONFRONTED BY A LITERARY PUZZLE.”

We have here a translation of about 1600 or perhaps even a little earlier, and thus THE LITERARY PUZZLE IS SOLVED, and we are inclined to put this translation to the hand of Thomas Bedingfield, for his translation of Machiavelli's “Florentine Historie” was dedicated to the Earl of Oxford, and the present manuscript with one or two others appear all to have connection with the family of the Earl of Oxford.

Both this Manuscript and that of Dacres of 1640 follow the original very closely, but ours is an entirely different Manuscript from that of Dacres.

(Continued over)

MACHIAVELLI (Niccolo): MANUSCRIPT OF "THE PRINCE."—*continued.*

It is very interesting, in view of the DACRE'S PRINCE which is in course of being re-published, that this manuscript should come to light—In reality it should have been this manuscript to appear in print, and it is quite important that it should be published AS THE EARLIEST KNOWN ENGLISH TRANSLATION of this great work, which for four hundred years influenced European politics.

No work had a profounder influence upon the thought and policy of Tudor England than Machiavelli's PRINCE. It was a text-book to Thomas Cromwell; its precepts were obediently followed by Cecil and Leicester. The mingled fear and respect in which its author was held converted him into a monstrous legend. No writer is more frequently cited, generally with disapproval, than Machiavelli, and it is always the PRINCE, which was not translated, and not the Arte of Warre, and the Florentine Historie, which were, that arouses the ire of Englishmen. A German scholar has counted more than three hundred references to the Prince in the works of the dramatists alone.

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(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXII).

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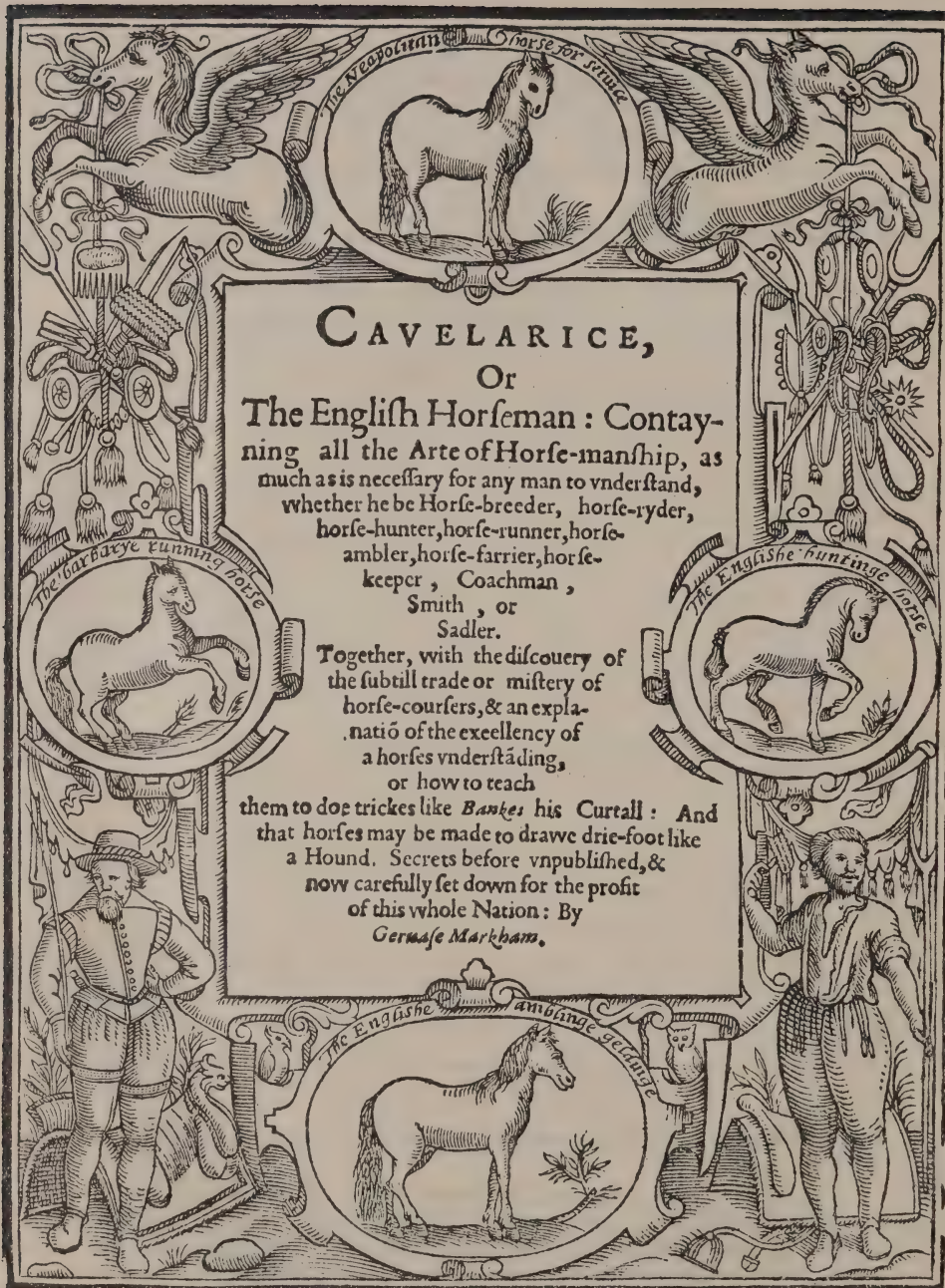
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Cap. 2.

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of government, which is principall, and so I will intreat of that state
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of state may best be governed and maintained. First of these
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- (4) The Execution Scene.

Adam Blackwood, a Scottish writer, was, by the instrumentality of Mary Queen of Scots, made counsellor or judge of the parliament of Poitiers. During Mary's captivity in England, he paid her frequent visits and was untiring in his efforts to do her all the service in his power. After her death he published a long exposure of her treatment in prison, interspersed with passionate denunciations of her enemies, especially Knox and Queen Elizabeth. The book is of special interest as a graphic presentation of the sentiments and feeling which her pitiable fate aroused in her devoted adherents.

- 942 BUCHANAN (George). ANE DETECTIOUN OF THE DUINGES OF MARIE QUENE OF SCOTTES, touchand the murder of hir husband, and hir conspiracie, adulterie, and pretensd mariage with the Erle Bothwell, And ane defence of the trew Lordis, maintaineris of the Kingis graces actioun and autoritie. Translatit out of the Latine quhilke was written by G.B.

With oval portrait of Mary Queen of Scots by G. Vertue, inserted and laid down.

FIRST EDITION IN SCOTTISH DIALECT.

BLACK LETTER. Small 8vo, contemporary red morocco gilt, g.e.

No place or date. (1570.)

£31 10s

Bound with the above are the following very rare contemporary pieces on Mary Queen of Scots:—

Buchanan (G.) Ane Admonition direct to the trew Lordis mantenaris of the
(Continued over)

COMME LA ROYNE FUT DECAPITEE.

De la Mort F. 112



*Ah ! tres-sanglant theatre ! spectacle piteux !
De laisser prophaner par des mains si felonnes
(Princes, quel des-honneur ! de cœurs bien impiteux !)
Ce Chef, qui a porté deux si belles Coronnes !*

A PARIS, De l'Imprimerie de Pierre Méhier

See item No. 941.

MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS: BUCHANAN (George): ANE DETECTION—*continued*.

Kingis Graces Authoritie. M.G.B. Imprinted at London by John Daye, according to the Scottish copie Printed at Striuiyng by Robert Lekpreuik. Anno. Do. M.D.LXXI.

A discourse touching the pretended match between the Duke of Norfolke, and the Queene of Scots. N.D. (c. 1571).

The effect of the declaration made in the Guildhall by M. Recorder of London, concerning the late attemptes of the Queenes Maiesties evill, seditious, and disobedient subiectes. Imprinted at London by John Daye dwelling over Aldersgate. N.D. (c. 1571). Etc.

Buchanan's "Detection" was first published in London in Latin and then in the Scottish dialect. In it the charges against Mary Queen of Scots in the "Book of Articles," in the form of a judicial paper, are reiterated and adapted to the purposes of a polemic. After all allowance for party spirit and well-founded belief of the reformers that Mary was a subtle and dangerous enemy, the "Detection" must be deemed a calumnious work, "which not only sought out doubtful and trivial incidents to blacken her character, but invented others for which there was no warrant. Buchanan charges Mary with an attempt to make Darnley and Moray quarrel, in the hope of ridding herself of both. For this and similar charges there is no evidence, and they have been silently dropped even by historians who believe her capable of any wickedness. We cannot wonder that she describes this work, when Elizabeth, with peculiar spite, sent her a copy of the 'Detection' instead of the priest she asked for, as a 'defamatory book by an athiest,' Buchanan, the knowledge of whose impiety had made her request a year before that he should not be left near her son, to whom she heard he had been given as a preceptor!"

943 JONSTON (Joh.). INSCRIPTIONES HISTORICAE REGUM SCOTORUM.

With the 10 engraved portraits of the Kings and Queens of Scotland, including Mary Queen of Scots, James VI. (James I. of England), Anne of Denmark, etc., etc.

Small 4to, full morocco gilt, by Riviere, g.e.

Amsterdam, 1602.

£10 10s

944 LESLEY (John). DE ORIGINE MORIBUS, et rebus gestis Scotorum libri decem, accedit nova et accurata regionum et insularum Scotiae, cum ejusdem tabula topographica, descriptio.

With curious engraved map of Scotland, an engraved plate containing portraits of Mary Queen of Scots and her son James, and numerous other plates containing genealogical portraits of Scottish Kings.

FIRST EDITION. Thick small 4to, fine copy in original vellum.

Romae, In Aedibus populi Romani, 1578.

£5 5s

945 ——— DE TITULO ET IURE SERENISSIMAE PRINCIPIS MARIAE SCOTO cum Reginae, quo Regni Angliae successionem sibi iustè vendicat, etc.

Title within woodcut border containing the Arms of England and Scotland.

Small 4to, full morocco, g.e. Rheims, 1580.

£4 10s

This is a translation into Latin of the claims of Mary Queen of Scots to the Throne of England.

The present copy has the large folding Genealogical Tree.

MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS—*continued.*

- 946 MARCALDI (Francisco). AN ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT, written in Italian, to Giovanni Zanolli, on events connected with Mary, Queen of Scots.

Small 4to, wrappers. Venice, 18th April, 1584. £6 6s

This Manuscript written to Zanolli, apparently his superior, culminates with the hope that it will be possible to obtain the release of Mary Queen of Scots, who was imprisoned in London, and hoping that her son will be able to reintroduce Roman Catholicism into Scotland.

EARLY MANUSCRIPT ON MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTS.

- 947 QUEENE ELIZABETH'S APOLOGIE ffor hir Proceedinges against the Queene of Scottes, anno 1587.

A Contemporary Manuscript written in a very neat old Court Hand on 100 pp.; followed by "*A Letter written by Sir Philip Sidney unto Queene Elizabeth touchynge hir Marriage with Mounseer.*" 19 pp. in the same hand.

Folio, half vellum. Circa 1600. £25

A very interesting and important Manuscript. At the conclusion of the first piece is written in an early contemporary hand: "This apology in the reading answered not my expectation: it mainly insists on the lawfullnesse of detaining the Queene of Scots prisoner. But as for her crimes, it gives the world noe satisfaction on that point, and a maine one is that shee twice designed to bee married. The manner of her Triall is pitifully defended, and some ignorance shewed of our proceedings at law in cases of Triall; (which is worst of all) it uses the great massacre of the Protestants in ffrance as a medium to justify the execution of the Scottish Queene."

- 948 [TURNER (Robert)]. MARIA STUARTA, Regina Scotiae, Dotaria Franciae, Haeres Angliae et Hyberniae, Martyr Ecclesie, Innocens à caede Darleana: Vindice Oberto Barnestapolio.

Inserted is a brilliant impression of the exceedingly rare full-length contemporary engraved portrait of Mary, Queen of Scots. She is depicted standing in a Chapel beside the block and executioner's axe, holding a crucifix in one hand and a book in the other. At her feet are four crowns and behind her two angels holding wreaths above her head. On one side the Arms of Scotland and France, and on the other those of England and Ireland. Beneath is the inscription: "Maria Scotiae et Galliae de facto, de iure Angliae et Hyberniae Regina, a suis deturbata, in Angliam refugii causa descendens, cognatae Elizabethae tum regnantis perfidia, Senatusque Anglici inuidia, post 19. captivitatis annos religionis ergo capite obtruncata martyrium consummavit. Anno Aetatis Regnique 45. Ao. 1587."

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, full morocco, tooled in blind and gilt, with inside doublures of blue morocco, gilt gauffre edges.

Ingolstadii, Ex Officina Wolfgangi Elderi, Anno M.D.LXXXVIII.

£18 18s

In this account Mary Queen of Scots is represented as having been persecuted entirely on account of her adherence to the Catholic religion.

Bound with the above is: "*Summarium Rationum, quibus Cancellarius Angliae et Prolocutor Puckeringius Elizabethae Angliae Reginae persuaserunt occidendam esse serenissimam Principem Mariam Stuartam Scotiae Reginam et Jacobi Sexti Scotorum Regis Matrem.*" Ingolstadii, 1588.

MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS—*continued*.

- 949 TURNER (Robert). MARIA STUARTA. Another copy.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *morocco*.*Ingolstadii*, 1588.

£3 15s

- 950 UDALL (W.). THE HISTORIE OF THE LIFE AND DEATH OF MARY STUART QUEENE OF SCOTLAND.

*With brilliant impression of the beautiful portrait of Mary Stuart and the engraved title by Marshall.*Small 8vo, *full morocco gilt*, g.e. London, 1636.

£5 5s

- 951 VEGA CARPIO (Lope Felix de). CORONA TRAGICA. Vida y Muerte de la Seremissima Reyna de Escocia Maria Estuarda.

*With full-page engraved portrait of Mary, Queen of Scots.*Small 4to, *half calf*.*Madrid, Viuda de Luis Sanchez*, 1627.

£6 6s

Salva, No. 1029.

This narrative religious poem, on the tragic life and death of Mary Queen of Scots, is dedicated to Pope Urban VIII. It was inspired by George Conn's *Life* of Mary and depicts the struggle between Catholics and Protestants in England in the sixteenth century.

According to Salva, few copies of this work contain the portrait, which is engraved by Combes.

- 952 MATHEMATICS. DIGGES (Thomas). ALAE SEU SCALAE MATHEMATICAE, quibus visibilium remotissima Caelorum Theatra conscendi, et Planetarum omnium itinera novis et inauditis Methodis explorari: tum huius portentosi Syderis in Mundi Boreali plaga insolito fulgore coruscantis, Distantia et Magnitudo immensa, etc.

With woodcut on reverse of title, numerous figures in the text, and the Digges Coat of Arms on the last leaf.

FIRST EDITION. Londini, Apud Thomam Marsh, 1573.

— DEE (John). PARALLATICA COMMENTATIONIS PRAXEOSQ; Nucleus quidam.

With mathematical figures in the text.

FIRST EDITION.

Londini, Apud Johannem Dayum Typographum An. 1573.

The two works bound together. Small 4to, *calf*.

£18 18s

Both Digges and Dee were Mathematicians of considerable repute and a strong friendship existed between them.

Digges's writings tended more to the cultivation of Science than perhaps all those of other writers on the same subjects put together.

Dee's alchemical experiments obtained for him an evil reputation as a conjuror and magician, which suspicion clung to him throughout his life, in spite of his repeated excuses, apologies, and solemn obtestations.

MATHEMATICS—*continued.*

- 953 EUCLID. THE ELEMENTS OF GEOMETRIE OF THE MOST AUNCIENT PHILOSOPHER EUCLIDE OF MEGARA. Faithfully (now first) translated into the English tongue, by H. Billingsley. Whereunto are annexed certaine Scholies, Annotations, and Inventions, of the best Mathematiciens, both of time past, and in this our present age.

WITH A VERY FRUITFULL PREFACE MADE BY M. J. DEE, SPECIFYING THE CHIEFE MATHEMATICALL SCIENCES.

With title in curious woodcut border, and woodcut portrait of John Daye at end.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. Folio, *original calf*.

London, Printed by John Daye (1570).

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£35

This, the first English translation of the Fifteen Books of Euclid's Elements, was made rather from one of the ancient Latin editions than from the Greek. Prefixed is the very curious preface by the famous Dr. John Dee, mathematician and astrologer, in which he refers to the popular belief that he was a conjuror and asks whether a modest christian philosopher ought, on account of marvellous feats naturally wrought and contrived, to be condemned as "a companion of hell-hounds, and a caller, and a conjuror of wicked and damned spirits."

- 954 MAY (Thomas). THE OLD COUPLE. A Comedy.

Title within woodcut border.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *full blue morocco gilt*.

London, Printed by J. Cottrel, for Samuel Speed, 1658. £10 10s

In verse throughout. Abounding with pleasantry and humour. A very successful play.

- 955 MECHANICS. MANDEY (Ven.) and MOXON (James). MECHANICK-POWERS: or, the Mistery of Nature and Art unveiled.

The whole comprised in Ten Books, *and illustrated with numerous copper cuts.*

Small 4to, *old calf*. *London, Printed for the Authors, 1696.* £5 5s

- 955A MORE (Sir Thomas). A MOST PLEASANT, FRUITFULL, AND WITTIE WORKE, of the best state of a publique weale, and of the new Yle called Utopia. Written in Latine, by the right worthie and famous Syr Thomas Moore Knight: and translated into English by Raphe Robinson.

And now this third Edition, newly corrected and amended.

BLACK LETTER. Small 4to, *full morocco gilt, g.e.*

London, Printed by Thomas Creede, 1597. £12 12s

The third Edition of More's Utopia in English. Blank corner of title and next two leaves repaired.



Imprinted at London by Iohn Daye.

See item No. 953.

MEDICAL.

- 956 BARROUGH (Philip). THE METHOD OF PHYSICK, containing the Causes, Signes, and Cures of inward Diseases in Mans body, from the head to the foote. Whereunto is added, the forme and rule of making remedies and medicines, which our Physitions commonly use at this day, with the proportion, quantity, and names of each medicine. Small 4to, *original vellum*.

London, Imprinted by Richard Field, dwelling in great Woodstreete,
1624. £5 5s

- 957 BEDDOES (Thomas). OBSERVATIONS ON THE NATURE AND CURE OF CALCULUS, SEA SCURVY, CONSUMPTION, CATARRH, AND FEVER: Together with conjectures upon several other subjects of Physiology and Pathology.

FIRST EDITION.

8vo, *fine copy in the original boards, uncut.*

London, Printed for J. Murray, 1793. £2 2s

- 958 BELLERS (John). AN ESSAY TOWARDS THE IMPROVEMENT OF PHYSICK. In Twelve Proposals. By which the Lives of many Thousands of the Rich, as well as of the Poor, may be saved yearly. With an Essay for Employing the Able Poor. Small 4to, *calfs*.

London, Printed by the Assigns of J. Sowle, 1714. £1 15s

- 959 BLACKMORE (Sir Richard). A TREATISE OF THE SPLEEN AND VAPOURS: OR, Hypochondriacal and Hysterical Affections. With Three Discourses on the Nature and Cure of the Cholick, Melancholy, and Palsies.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original calfs*.

London, Printed for J. Pemberton, 1725. £1 10s

- 960 BROWNE (Sir William). A VINDICATION OF THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS: in reply to the Speech of the Solicitor General, on opening the petition and appeal of Doctor Isaac Schomberg, alias Schamberg, to the Right Honorable The Lord High Chancellor, The Lords Chief Justices, The Lord Chief Baron; as Visitors of the Colledge. Intended to have been Addressed To their Lordships, in Lincolns-inn-hall: After the Counsel should have Concluded Their Arguments against the Jurisdiction.

With Coat-of-Arms on title-page, engraved vignette on first and last pages, fine engraved initial letter. Second Edition. 4to, *half calfs*.

London, W. Owen, Temple-Bar, 1753. £4 10s

- 961 CAVALLO (Tiberius). AN ESSAY ON THE THEORY AND PRACTICE OF MEDICAL ELECTRICITY. *With folding engraved plate.*

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco.*

London, Printed for the Author, 1780. £1 15s

Cavallo was the inventor of several philosophical instruments and pieces of apparatus for electrical and chemical experiments. Much ingenuity was shown in their construction, all his instruments for the measurement of the quantity and force of electricity being remarkable for their extreme delicacy and correctness.

MEDICAL—*continued*.

- 962 COOKE (James). SUPPLEMENTUM CHIRURGIAE, or, The Supplement to the Marrow of Chyrurgerie. Wherein is contained Fevers, Simple and Compound, Pestilential, and not, Rickets, Small Pox and Measles, with their Definitions, Causes, Signes, Prognosticks, and Cures, both general and particular.

Small 8vo, *half calf*.

London, Printed for John Sherley, 1655.

£2 2s

Title rather rubbed and repaired.

- 963 CULPEPER (Nicholas). CULPEPER'S LAST LEGACY: left and bequeathed to his dearest Wife, for the publike good, being the Choicest and most profitable of those Secrets which while he lived were lockt up in his Breast; containing sundry admirable Experiences in severall Sciences, more especially in Chyrurgery and Physick; with two particular Treatises, the one of Feavers, the other of Pestilence.

Engraved portrait.

Small 8vo, *original calf*. London, 1657.

£3 3s

- 964 DENTAL. HUNTER (John). THE NATURAL HISTORY OF THE HUMAN TEETH: explaining their structure, use, formation, growth, and diseases.

With 16 finely executed engraved plates.

The Second Edition. 4to, *original calf*.

London, Printed for J. Johnson, 1778.

£6 10s

- 965 ——— RUSPINI (The Chevalier). A TREATISE ON THE TEETH: wherein an accurate idea of their structure is given, the cause of their decay pointed out, and their various diseases enumerated. To which is added, the most effectual method of treating the disorders of the Teeth and Gums.

Small 8vo, *half calf*. London, 1797.

£2 2s

- 966 THE DESCRIPTION OF A MOSTE DREADFULL AND MERVELOUS MONSTER BORNE IN MANCHESTER within the County of Lancaster upon Tusdaye being the fourteenth of August last past. 1579.

Printed on one side of a folio leaf, with the title as given above, followed by a large cut of the "Monster," and beneath a full description.

PRINTED IN BLACK LETTER.

Imprinted at London for Toby Coke (1579).

£42

A very remarkable and unrecorded Elizabeth medical broadside.

- 967 DOBSON (Matthew). A MEDICAL COMMENTARY ON FIXED AIR. Third Edition. With an Appendix on the efficacy of the solution of fixed Alkaline Salts saturated with fixible air, in the stone and gravel. By William Falconer.

8vo, *original calf*.

London, Printed for T. Cadell, 1787.

18s

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 968 AN EDICT IN THE ROMAN LAW: In the 25. Book of the Digests, Title 4. Section 10. As concerning the visiting of a Big-Bellied Woman, and the looking after what may be Born by Her.

4 pp., small 4to, *unbound.* (London, c. 1680.)

£1 5s

Without title-page proper, the title being at the head of the first leaf. With the Latin and English versions in parallel columns.

WITH EXTENSIVE CONTEMPORARY MANUSCRIPT ADDITIONS.

- 969 GABELHOVER (Oswald). THE BOOCK OF PHYSCKE. Wherein throughe commaundement of the most Illustrious & renounned Duke & Lorde, Lorde Lodewijcke, Duke of Wirtenberghe, & of Teck, Earle of Mompelgart, &c. Most of them selected, and approved remedies, for all corporall diseases, and sicknesses, which out of manye highe, and common Persons written Physick-boockes, are compacted, and united together. Through his renounned Graces most famous Physition Mr. Doctour Oswaldus Gabelhouer. Faithfullye translated out of High-duche by the right worshipfull Mr. Doctour Charles Battus, ordinarye Physitione to the Citye of Dorte. And now neulye translated out of Low-duche into English by A.M.

With engraved title, containing a view of Dordrecht.

FIRST EDITION.

Thick small folio, *original oak boards, rebounded, old style.*

Imprinted at Dorte by Isaack Caen, 1599.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION PLATE, No. XXIII.)

£75

The only English Translation and very rare. The above copy is of exceptional medical interest as it is interleaved with nearly 250 pages completely filled with contemporary manuscript additions consisting of about 10 pp. Cookery and Perfume receipts and hundreds of Prescriptions and Remedies, of considerable interest and importance, for the varied ailments and deceases, besides further additions in the text itself. A manuscript Index of the Additions, is also included, containing well over 200 entries. Besides those of medical and cookery interest there are other entries of interest to the Angler and farrier:—

“To take fishe.”

“For the Yellowes in a horse.”

“For the broke wynd of a horse,” etc.

Even attempts at poetry are included, for at the end of the printed Contents we find:—

“Who lives in health, and doth dispice
The meane to keepe and gaine ye same,
Lett him be sicke, force not his cryes,
His follie makes him too too blame;
Else pinch his purse, and teach him say,
All Phisickes vaine, awaye awaye.
Shall he thats flush and featheared,
Say moolting tyme will never bee,
The dolefull mew doth not be dreed,
Who soores as high as thou canst see;
Mans state is fraile, Physitians love,
Health gott they keepe and greefes remove.”

The title-page of the above copy of Gabelhover's work is a little worn, it lacks the Errata leaf at end, and the final leaves are slightly wormed. The copy may, however, be considered a good one, and of considerably added interest containing as it does these extensive manuscript additions.

MEDICAL—continued.

OF SHAKESPEARIAN INTEREST.

- 970 HALL (John). SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES: or, Cures both Empericall and Historicall, performed upon very eminent Persons in desperate Diseases. First, written in Latine by Mr. John Hall Physician, living at Stratford upon Avon in Warwick-shire, where he was very famous, as also in the Counties adjacent, as appears by these Observations drawn out of severall hundreds of his, as choyssest. Now put into English for common benefit by James Cooke Practitioner in Physick and Chirurgery.

FIRST EDITION.

12mo, bound by *Riviere in full dark blue morocco gilt, g.e.*
London, Printed for John Sherley, 1657. £25

John Hall was Shakespeare's son-in-law and executor. The above work describes the ailments and cures prescribed, of many notable people in Stratford-on-Avon at that time, including those of Susanna, Dr. Hall's wife and Shakespeare's elder daughter; the case of Elizabeth Hall, Shakespeare's grand-daughter (who married, firstly, Thomas Nash, and secondly, Sir John Barnard); and other members of the poet's family, also Michael Drayton the poet.

- 971 ——— SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES OF EMINENT PERSONS IN DESPERATE DISEASES. First written in Latin by Mr. John Hall, Physician: After Englished by James Cook, Author of the Marrow of Chirurgery. To which is now added, an hundred like Counsels and Advices, for several Honourable Persons: with all the Several Medicines and Methodes by which the several Cures were effected.

With engraved portrait of James Cook by R. White.

Small 8vo, contemporary calf (joints repaired).

London, Printed by J. D. for Benjamin Swift, 1679. £18 18s

The second edition, containing "Directions for drinking of the Bath-Water, and Ars Cosmetica, or Beautifying Art: By H. Stubbs," not included in the first.

- 972 ——— SELECT OBSERVATIONS ON ENGLISH BODIES OF EMINENT PERSONS IN DESPERATE DISEASES.

With engraved portrait of James Cook by R. White.

Small 8vo, calf.

London, Printed for William Marshall, 1683. £12 12s

- 973 HARVEY (Gideon). CASUS MEDICO-CHIRURGICUS: or a most Memorable Case of a Noble-man Deceased. Wherein is shewed, His Lordship's Wound, the various Diseases survening, how his Physicians and Surgeons treated him, how treated by the Author after my Lord was given over by all his Physicians, with all their Opinions and Remedies. Moreover, The Art of Curing the most dangerous of Wounds, by the first intention, with the Description of the Remedies.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, original calf.

London, Printed for M. Rooks, 1678. £6 6s

In 1678 Harvey was called, in consultation with other physicians, to attend a nobleman (Charles, Lord Mohun, father of the more notorious duellist), who had received a wound in a duel, of which he ultimately died. Harvey, pleading that he was commanded by the King to write an account of the case in the above work, made it the occasion of virulent personal attacks, under feigned name, on the other physicians concerned.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 974 HARVEY (William). ANATOMICAL EXERCITATIONS, concerning the Generation of Living Creatures. To which are added Particular Discourses, of Births, and of Conceptions, &c.

With fine impression of the rare portrait of Harvey by William Faithorne.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. Small 8vo, calf.

London, Printed by James Young, for Octavian Pulleyn, 1653.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXIV.)

£52 10s

A good copy with untouched margins, and "Errata" leaf at end. Containing at the beginning a six page poem, "To the Incomparable Dr. Harvey, on his Books Of the Motion of the Heart and Blood, and of the Generation of Animals."

Though second in importance to his "De Motu Cordis," Harvey's "De Generatione" is remarkable as expounding the doctrine of "epigenesis"—the theory that the development of the embryo takes place by the successive addition of parts, not by the unfolding of a complete miniature present from the first—a theory which is now substantially held.

- 975 ——— EXERCITATIONES DE GENERATIONE ANIMALIUM, quibus accedunt quaedam. De partu: de Membranis ac humoribus uteri: et de Conceptione.

With engraved title.

12mo, original calf (rebacked).

Amsterlodami, Apud Joannem Jansonium, 1651.

£7 10s

- 976 HIGHMORE (Nathaniel). CORPORIS HUMANI DISQUISITIO ANATOMICA. In qua sanguinis circulationem prosequutus est.

With engraved title-page and numerous anatomical plates.

FIRST EDITION. Folio, fine copy in the original vellum binding.

Hagae Comititis, ex officina Samuelis Broun, 1651.

£12 12s

The First Edition of the first work written by Nathaniel Highmore, physician and anatomist, dedicated to his life-long friend William Harvey. In it he describes the "Antrum of Highmore," for which his name is famous.

Like most of the books on anatomy of its period, it gives an account of pathological appearances and of comparative anatomy, as well as of the normal structure of the human body. Though perfectly sound in his views as regards the circulation of the blood, the physiological remarks of Highmore are sometimes rather quaint and mediaeval. Thus he believed in an "alexipharmaca dispositio vitalium," which enabled an Oxford student of his acquaintance to devour spiders with impunity. His plates are based on those of Vesalius.

- 977 HOLLYBUSH (John). A MOST EXCELLENT AND PERFECTE HOMISH APOTHECARYE or Homely physick booke for all the grefes and diseases of the bodye. Translated out the Almaigne speche into English by Jhon Hollybush.

Printers device on title.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. BLACK LETTER. Folio, half morocco.

Imprinted at Collen by Arnold Birckman, In the yeare of our Lord M.D.LXI.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£24

A translation of Hieronymus Brunschwig's "Thesaurus Pauperum."

A most excellent and perfectte
homish apothecarye or homely physick booke/
for all the grefes and diseases
of the bodye.

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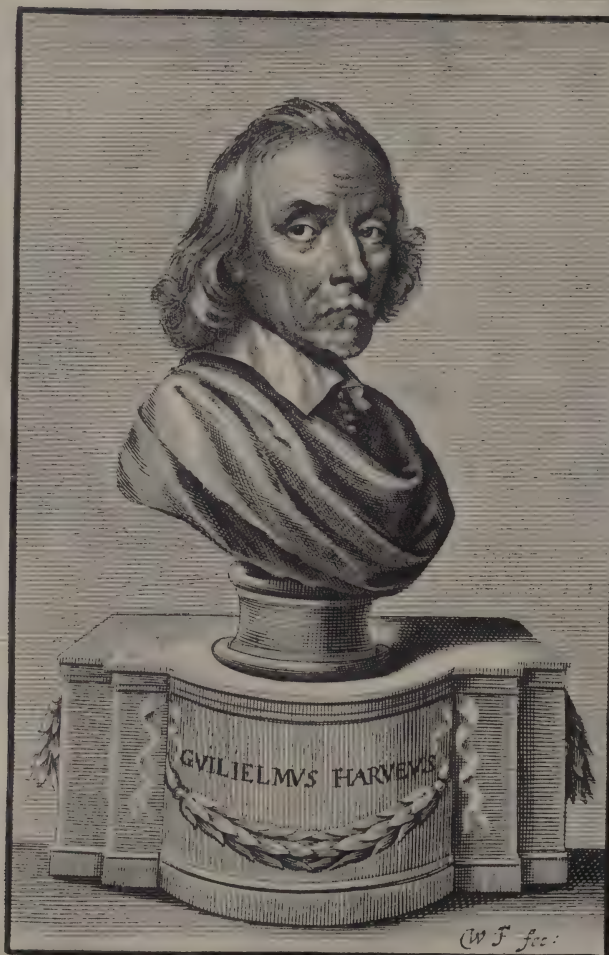
- 978 IL BRATTUCCIO: or, The History of Q. Mary's Big-belly. From Mr. Fox's Acts and Monuments and Dr. Heylin's Hist. Ref.
8 pp., small 4to, *unbound*. (London, c. 1680.) £1 10s
Without title-page proper, the title being at the head of the first leaf.
- 979 INOCULATION. MASSEY (Edmund). A SERMON AGAINST THE DANGEROUS AND SINFUL PRACTICE OF INOCULATION. Preach'd at St. Andrew's Holborn, on Saturday, July the 8th, 1722.
FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco*.
London, Printed for William Meadows, 1722. £1 10s
- 980 ——— THE TRYAL OF MR. DANIEL SUTTON, for the High Crime of preserving the lives of His Majesty's liege Subjects, by means of Inoculation.
The Second Edition. 8vo, *fine copy in calf*.
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A mock trial written in support of Inoculation, bringing many important facts to light.
- 981 JENNER (Henry). AN ADDRESS TO THE PUBLIC ON THE ADVANTAGES OF VACCINE INOCULATION: with the Objections to it Refuted.
FIRST EDITION. 4to, *original wrappers*.
Bristol, Printed and Sold by W. Bulgin (1799). £15 15s
Dr. Henry Jenner was the nephew of Dr. Edward Jenner, the discoverer of vaccination.
Slight stains in top margin, otherwise fine copy.
- 982 LANGHAM (William). THE GARDEN OF HEALTH, conteyning the sundry rare and hidden vertues and properties of all kindes of Simples and Plants, together with the maner how they are to be used and applyed in medicine for the health of mans body, against divers diseases and infirmities most common amongst men.
FIRST EDITION. BLACK LETTER. Thick small 4to, *old calf*.
Imprinted at London, 1579. £27 10s
- 983 ——— THE GARDEN OF HEALTH, Contayning the sundry rare and hidden vertues and properties of all kindes of Simples and Plants, together with the maner how they are to be used and applyed in medicine for the health of mans body.
The Second Edition corrected and amended.
BLACK LETTER. Thick small 4to, *fine copy in original calf*.
London, Printed by Thomas Harper, 1633. £12 12s
- 984 LINO (James). A TREATISE ON THE SCURVY. In Three Parts. Containing an Inquiry into the Nature, Causes, and Cure, of that Disease.
The Second Edition corrected, with Additions and Improvements.
8vo, *original calf*.
London, Printed for A. Millar, 1757. £1 15s



Engraved Title from the rare First Edition of
GABELHOVER'S "BOOCK OF PHYSICKE." Dorte, 1599.

See Item No. 969.

PLATE XXIV.



Fine impression of the engraved portrait of HARVEY, by WILLIAM FAITHORNE,
from the First Edition in English of HARVEY'S ANATOMICAL EXERCITATIONS.
London, 1653.
See Item No. 974.

MEDICAL—*continued*.

- 985 LOVELL (William). THE DUKES DESK NEWLY BROKEN UP. Wherein is discovered divers Rare Receipts of Physick and Surgery, good for Men, Women and Children. Together with severall Medicines to Prevent, and Cure the most Pestilent Diseases in any Cattel.

16 pp., 12mo, *half calf, some edges uncut.*

London, Printed for the Author, 1660.

£3 10s

- 986 LOW (D.). CHIROPODOLOGIA, or, a Scientific Enquiry into the Causes of Corns, Warts, Onions, and other painful or offensive Cutaneous Excrescences: With a Detail of the most successful Methods of removing all Deformities of the Nails, etc.

Small 8vo, *original calf.*

London, Printed by J. Rozea, N.D. (c. 1760).

£1 10s

- 987 MANUSCRIPT TREATISE OF SURGERY, MEDICAL PRESCRIPTIONS, ETC. Extending to nearly 200 closely written pages.

Folio, *old vellum.* Circa 1700.

£5 5s

A note on the fly-leaf states:—

“N.B.: This Book is a collated copy of a course of Surgery presented to Arch Bishop Sheldon, the original of which is now preserved among the Archives at Lambeth.”

- 988 MAXIMINUS (Jacobus). RARE MEDICAL BROADSIDE, listing the miraculous properties of certain stones, headed: “Whereas the Professor hereof, Jacobus Maximinus, borne in Italy, and lately come out of Germanie, hath attained unto the demonstration of the making of Foure most strange and rare Artificiall Stones, and a sweete Ball, and the true vertues thereof: and the Names and Colours of every stone. The first is the *Moraccolocius* Stone is white: The famous *Amothist* is the redde Stone: The famous *Safaris* is the purple Stone: The *Safonya*, which is the Straw coloured Stone, &c.”

Printed on one side of a small folio sheet. Royal Arms at head. Narrow ornamental border. BLACK LETTER.

October the 24, 1622.

£15 15s

A very scarce and curious medical broadside, listing the miraculous properties of certain stones in the cure of various ailments.

The *Moraccolocius* stone, for example, is the “approved helpe for the Tooth-ach, and all rotten and stinking Teeth!

The *Safony* stone “is very good for the cornes in your feete and eares,” and when powdered and mixed with “oyle of Bayes” it will “kill the itch, and make no Lice shall trouble any one if the body be annointed therewith.” “These stones have beene prooved, and have holpen many one in this Citie of London.”

The directions for the use of the *Amothist* stone are as follows:—“Dissolve this stone into foure spoonefuls of water, and snuffe up part of a spoonefull at the nostrils, and hold somewhat betwixt the teeth, and let the rhewme voyd out, and it helps the paines of the head, and the hearing, and the Megrim, and sore eyes, and brings away the rhewme out of all parts of the head.”

The careful physician, to guard himself against possible failure, qualifies each remedy with the words “with Gods helpe.”

Ornamental border a little imperfect at the foot.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 989 MEAD (Richard). A MECHANICAL ACCOUNT OF POISONS, in Several Essays. The Third Edition, with large Additions. 8vo, *original calf*. 18s
London, Printed for J. Brindley, 1745.

- 990 ——— A SHORT DISCOURSE CONCERNING PESTILENTIAL CONTAGION, and the Methods to be used to Prevent it.

Large Paper, 8vo, *full contemporary morocco, gilt back and sides, g.e.*
London, Sam. Buckley, 1722. £2 15s

The best edition, greatly enlarging previous editions.

The book is lucid and interesting; everyone could understand it, and it was effective in allaying the public alarm. The practical conclusion at which the author arrives is in accordance with the views held by all sanitary authorities at the present day, and is, that the isolation in proper places of the sick, is more effectual in checking the progress of an epidemic than a general quarantine, or than measures of fumigation."

- 991 MUFFETT (Thomas). HEALTHS IMPROVEMENT: or, Rules Comprizing and Discovering the Nature, Method, and Manner of Preparing all sorts of Food used in this Nation. Corrected and Enlarged by Christopher Bennet.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *original calf*.

London, Printed by Tho. Newcomb for Samuel Thomson, 1655. £9 9s

With the "Imprimatur" leaf before the title.

This is a gossip collection of maxims respecting diet, which Moffett intended to supplement by a similar work on "drinks." It was probably compiled about 1595, but not published until after his death.

- 992 [MULLEN (Allen)]. AN ANATOMICAL ACCOUNT OF THE ELEPHANT ACCIDENTALLY BURNT IN DUBLIN, on Fryday, June 17. in the Year 1681. Sent in a Letter to Sir Will. Petty, Fellow of the Royal Society. Together with a Relation of new Anatomical Observations in the Eyes of Animals: Communicated in another Letter to the Honourable R. Boyle, Esq.; Fellow of the same Society. By A. M. Med. of Trinity Colledge near Dublin.

With two folding anatomical plates.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *fine copy in original calf (rebacked).*

London, Printed for Sam. Smith, 1682. £4 4s

With the original blank leaf between the two parts and two leaves of "book advertisements" at end.

Elephants were practically unknown in Ireland at this time and a file of musketeers were needed to keep the crowd from appropriating portions of the carcass, before the skeleton could be assembled.

WITH MANUSCRIPT ADDITIONS.

- 993 PHARMACOPOEIA COLLEGII REGALIS MEDICORUM LONDINENSIS.

With engraved frontispiece of the Royal Medical College.

4to, *original boards, uncut.*

Londini, Apud T. Longman, T. Shewell, et J. Nourse, 1746. £5 5s

Interleaved and with many manuscript additions of Medical Receipts in the hand of Dr. Johnson of Cambridge written circa 1795.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

994 PATER (Erra). A PROGNOSTICATION FOR EVER, made by Erra Pater, a Jew, borne in Jury, Doctor in Astronomie and Phisicke: Very profitable to keepe the body in health: And also Ptholomeus saith the same.

Woodcut portrait on title and curious cut of a man ploughing with oxen on reverse.

BLACK LETTER. 32 pp., 12mo, bound by Riviere in full brown morocco.

Printed by Thomas Este (c. 1604).

£28

This extremely scarce little piece is a mixture of medical knowledge and astrological interpretations.

"In the month of January, let thee not blood in the first day, for it is perillous, nor the second day, nor the fifth day, nor the X. day, nor the XV. day, nor the XIX. day, nor the XX. day, nor the XXV. day, but as often as thou wilt drinck good white wine fasting, and also take good heede of the dayes that be above written, for they be perillous for to bleede on, except the signe be right good for blood letting."

"If it Thunder on the Sunday, there will be a great death of Clarks and Judges and also perverse people by signification.

"If on the Munday it chance to Thunder, many women shall dye then, and the corne will suffer Eclipse, by Signification." Etc., etc.

A Prognostication
for ever, made by Erra Pater, a
Jew, borne in Jury, Doctor in
Astronomie and Phisicke:
Very profitable to keepe
the body in health:
And also Ptho-
lomeus
saith the same.



Printed by Thomas Este.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 995 PHARMACOPOEIA LONDINENSIS. A PROCLAMATION issued by James I. commanding all Apothecaries of this Realme, to follow the dispensatory lately compiled by the Colledge of Physitions of London.

BLACK LETTER. Printed on two large folio sheets.

Given at Our Pallace of White-hall the sixe and twentieth day of Aprill, in the sixteenth yeers of Our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Bonham Norton, and John Bill, 1618.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£32 10S

"Whereas by Our especiall Commandement, there hath bene of late compiled in the Latine tongue by the Colledge of the Phisitions of London, a Booke entituled 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis,' prescribing and directing Apothecaries the generall formes, as well of dispensing and compounding of all sorts of Medicines, and Phisicall Receipts, as distilling of Oyles and Waters. . . . Wee therefore desirous in all things to provide for the common good of Our Subiects . . . doe hereby straitly require, charge and command all and singular Apothecaries within this our Realme of England, or the Dominions thereof, that they and every of them, immediately after the said 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis,' shall bee Printed and published, doe not compound or make any medicine or medicinable receipt . . . that are or shall bee in the said 'Pharmacopoea Londinensis' mentioned and named after the wayes or meanes prescribed or directed." Etc.

- 996 PHARMACOPOEIA LONDINENSIS. A PROCLAMATION issued by James I. "for settling the Company of Apothecaries of London, and for reforming abuses in that Art."

BLACK LETTER. Printed on two large folio sheets.

Given at Salisburie the fourth day of August, in the eighteenth yeere of Our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Bonham Norton, and John Bill, 1620.

£25

"Whereas, out of Our Royall care for the health and preservation of Our Subiects, Wee thought fit, upon great advise, to separate the Apothecaries of London, from the Company of Grocers, and sundry others, whereof they had formerly bene Members, for that it was convenient, that that company should have a speciall relation and dependencie upon the Colledge of Phisitions . . . and whereas by Our Proclamation, dated the sixe and twentieth day of Aprill, in the sixteenth yeere of Our Reigne . . . Wee declared Our Royall pleasure touching a booke compiled by the Colledge of Physitians of London (now the second time reviewed, corrected, and imprinted), entituled 'Pharmacopoeia Londinensis.'" Etc.

- 997 PLAGUE. BROWNE (Joseph). A PRACTICAL TREATISE OF THE PLAGUE, and All Pestilential Infections that have happen'd in this Island for the last Century. Laying down the Rules and Methods then used by the most learned Physicians of those Times. With a Prefatory Epistle address'd to Dr. Mead, on Account of his short Discourse concerning Pestilential Contagion.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *fine copy in half morocco.*

London, Printed for J. Wilcox, 1720.

£2 10S

Browne wrote and lectured against Harvey's theory of the circulation of the blood.

- 998 — M. (S.). A TREATISE OF THE PLAGUE. By a Physician in York.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *half morocco.*

London, Printed for S. Osborn, 1721.

£2 10S



¶ By the King.

✠ A Proclamation commanding all Apothecaries of this Realme, to follow the dispensatory lately compiled by the Colledge of Physitions of *London*.



Hereas by Our especiall Commandement, there hath bene of late compiled in the Latine tongue by the Colledge of the Physitions of *London*, a Booke entituled *Pharmacopoea Londinensis*, prescribing and directing Apothecaries the generall formes, aswell of dispensing and compounding of all sortes of Medicines, and Physicall Receipts, as distilling of Oyles and waters, and such like extractions, together with the true weights and Measures, whereby to make them which heretofore haue bene variously and differently composed, and made according as mens severall fancies haue led them, to the great danger of Our Subjects in their liues and health; And whereas for the better reformation of the abuses heretofore practised in compounding of Medicines, wee thought fit to incorporate the Apothecaries of *London* into one body, forbidding all others within *London*, or seven miles thereof, to put to sale any Physicall compositions, except they were or should bee members of the said Company; And whereas through the great care and industrie of the said Colledge, the said *Pharmacopoea Londinensis* is now perfected and ready for the Presse, and is a worke greatly tending to the publique good of Our Subjects; And wee minding that all fallshood, differences, varieties and incertainties in making or composing of Medicines and distilling of Oyles or waters hereafter, be utterly taken away and abolished, and that in the tyme to come the manner and forme pre-

MEDICAL: PLAGUE—*continued.*

- 999 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., forbidding the holding of St. James' Fair at the time of his Coronation, owing to the likelihood of its attracting crowds to London, thereby spreading the Plague.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
Given at our Castle of Windsor, the XI day of July, 1603.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1603. £5 5s
- 1000 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., forbidding the holding of Bartlemew and Sturbridge Faires, owing to the assembly of great crowds of people being the means of spreading the Infection of the Plague.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
Given at our Honour of Hampton Court the VIII day of August, in the first yeere of our Reigne.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1603. £6 6s
- 1001 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., proroguing Parliament for a further period, owing to the assembly of crowds being the means of still further spreading the infection of the Plague.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on the recto of two folio sheets.
Given at his Maiesties Citie of Winchester the eighteenth day of October, 1603, in the first yeere of his Reigne.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1603. £4 4s
- 1002 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., forbidding the People of London attending Bristol Fair, for fearing of spreading the Plague.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
Given at our Pallace of Westminster the eight day of July, in the second yeere of our raigne.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1604. £5 5s
- 1003 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., to prevent infection of the Plague being brought to London from outlying Towns, by proroguing Parliament for a further term.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
Given at our Pallace of Westminster the XXIII day of December, in the second yeere of our Reigne.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1604. £4 4s
- 1004 ——— PROCLAMATION issued by James I., "for proroguing the Parliament," in an endeavour to prevent the spreading of the Plague.
 BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a folio sheet, Royal Arms at head.
Given at our Honour of Hampton Court the last day of September, in the fifth yeere of our Reigne.
Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1607. £4 4s

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 1005] PONTEUS (John). AN ARGUMENT shewing that 'tis Impossible for the Nation to be rid of the Grievances Occasioned by the great Numbers both of Quacks and Empericks in Law and Physick, without an utter Exterpation of both. With Proposals for a New Constitution. Written after the manner of the Argument against the Marshal of the Kings-Bench, and Warden of the Fleet.

24 pp., small 4to, *unbound*.

London, Printed, and sold by C. D. in T., 1699.

£1 5s

Contains an attack on Barber-Surgeons, in an endeavour to disqualify them from all surgical practises (the drawing of Teeth only excepted).

- 1006 THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHYMISTS OF LONDON STATED, with the Reasons of their Dissent from the Colledge of Physicians; as they were unanimously agreed on by them, at a Meeting in London; and are now Published, for the Information of the said Colledge, and Satisfaction of those that intend the Practice of Physick; and also for Instructing the People in what is most useful for their Preservation.

The Two Parts in One Volume.

Small 8vo, bound by Riviere in full polished calf gilt, g.e.

London, Printed for the Authors, 1676.

£10 10s

- 1007 RIVERIUS (Lazarus). THE PRACTICE OF PHYSICK, in Seventeen several Books. Wherein is plainly set forth, the Nature, Cause, Differences, and Several Sorts of Signs; Together with the Cure of all Diseases in the Body. By Nicholas Culpeper, Abdiah Cole, and William Rowland. Being chiefly a Translation of the Works of that Learned and Renowned Doctor, Lazarus Riverius.

With engraved frontispiece containing four portraits.

Folio, half calf.

London, Printed by J. Streater, 1668.

£4 4s

- 1008] THE SCARBOROUGH GUIDE, containing an accurate description of the Town, the Castle, and the Environs; Dr. Belcombe's Observations on Spaw-waters and Sea-bathing; with occasional Remarks, Anecdotes, and Characters.

With engraved map.

12mo, original half calf.

York, Printed by W. Blanchard, 1806.

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- 1009] SALERNE (School of). REGIMEN SANITATIS SALERNI. This booke teachyng all people to governe the in health is translated out of the Latine tongue into Englishe, by Thomas Paynell, which booke is amended, augmented, and diligently imprinted.

Title within woodcut border.

BLACK LETTER. Thick 12mo, fine copy in original vellum.

Imprynted at London, by Wylliam How, for Abraham Veale, 1575.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXV.)

£35

Dedicated to Wylliam Paulet, Marques of Winchester, and lorde Treasurer of England.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 1010 SALERNA (School of). REGIMEN SANITATIS SALERNI. This boke teachinge all people to governe them in helthe, is translated out of the Latyne tongue into englyshe by Thomas Paynel. Whiche boke is amended, augmented, and diligently printed.

Title within woodcut border. Printers' device at end.

BLACK LETTER. Small 4to, *original calf (rebacked).*

(Colophon) *Londini in Aedibus Tho. Bertheleti typis impres. Anno 1541.*

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£48

Consisting of the original Latin poem, in all probability by Joannes de Mediolano, and the commentary by Arnaldus de Villa Nova. Only the commentary has been translated into English. The book is dedicated to John de Vere, fifteenth Earl of Oxford.

The work is of great importance, giving as it does, an excellent idea of the hygenic and dietetic treatment of the time. Thomas Paynell's translation is the first into English, the first edition of which was published in 1530.

The School of Salerno was founded in the early part of the 11th century and was an offshot of the Monastery of the Benedictine Order, which at that time was the seat of the learning of the World. The King of Sicily in 1137 enacted a law that all who desired to practice medicine must be examined and approved by this School.

- 1011 SHERLEY (Thomas). A PHILOSOPHICAL ESSAY: Declaring the probable Causes, whence Stones are produced in the Greater World. From which occasion is taken to search into the Origin of all Bodies, discovering them to proceed from Water, and Seeds. Being a Prodrumus to a Medicinal Tract concerning the Causes, and Cure of the Stone in the Kidneys, and Bladders of Men.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *original calf.*

London, Printed for William Cademan, 1672.

£3 3s

- 1012 SIMPSON (William). HYDROLOGIA CHYMICA: or, the Chymical Anatomy of the Scarbrough, and other Spaws in York-Shire. Wherein are Interspersed, Some Animadversions upon Dr. Wittie's lately Published Treatise of the Scarbrough Spaw. Also a Short Description of the Spaws at Malton and Knarsbrough, etc.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *fine copy in original calf.*

London, Printed by W. G. for Richard Chiswel, 1669.

£6 10s

- 1013 THOMSON (George). THE ANATOMY OF THE HUMAN BONES; With an Account of Muscular Motion, and the Circulation of the Blood: Also of Digestion and Nutrition.

With fifteen engraved plates.

8vo, *original calf (joints weak).*

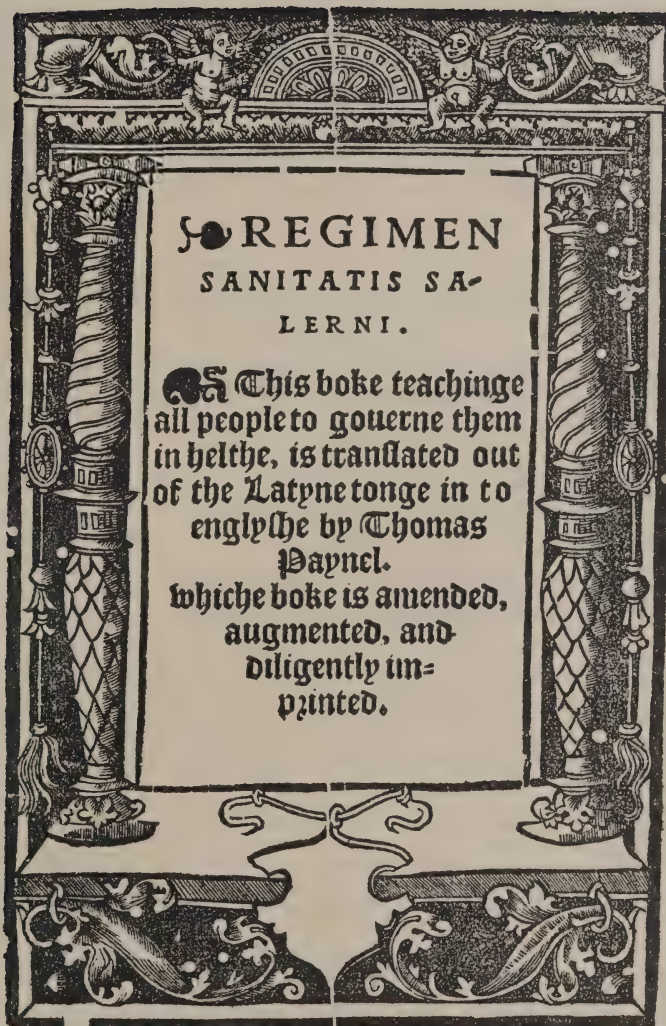
London, Printed for R. Ware, 1734.

£1 5s

- 1014 VACCINATION. ADDRESS OF THE ROYAL JENNERIAN SOCIETY, for the Extermination of the Small-Pox, with the Plan, Regulations, and Instructions for Vaccine Inoculation, to which is added a List of the Subscribers.

8vo, *half calf.* *London, 1803.*

£2 10s



See item No. 1010.

MEDICAL: VACCINATION—*continued.*

- 1015] ——— FERMOR (William). REFLECTIONS ON THE COWPOX, illustrated by cases to prove it an absolute security against the small-pox; addressed to the Public in a letter to Dr. Jenner.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original calf*.

Oxford, 1800.

£7 10s

Presentation copy from the author inscribed "To D. Ware. With the author's best compliments."

WITH 34 PAGES OF INTERESTING ENGLISH SIXTEENTH-CENTURY MANUSCRIPT
MEDICAL RECIPES.

- 1016 VIGO (Giovanni di). THE MOST EXCELLENT WORCKES OF CHIRURGERY, translated into Englishe (by Bartholomew Traherin). Whereunto is added an exposition of straunge termes and unknowen symples, belongynge unto the arte.

Title surrounded by broad historiated woodcut border (with signature E. W.), woodcut initial letters, partly on criblé ground.

BLACK LETTER. Folio, *old calf*.

London, Edwarde Whytechurch, 1550.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£65

SECOND ENGLISH EDITION.

Unique Copy having at end of volume 34 pages of manuscript medical recipes in English written in a 16th century hand.

The chapters on syphilis bear the following title: of the frenche Pockes, of the deade euyl, and scabbe, and of the paynes of the joyntes, and the tethe.

The translator Bartholomew Traherin was with Bullinger at Zurich, entered Cromwell's service 1539, joined Calvin at Geneva 1546, was keeper of Edward VI's library 1549 and tutor to the Duke of Suffolk. He was a protégé of Richard Tracy, the protestant reformer, to whom he dedicated this book.

The printer Edward Whitechurch, London, was first associated with Richard Grafton, who succeeded Thomas Berthelet as Royal Printer. When the printing of the Bible was permitted in England, Whitechurch and Grafton shared between them the honour of printing six editions of the great Bible between 1540 and 1541.

PRESENTATION COPY.

- 1017 WHITE (Charles). CASES IN SURGERY, with Remarks. To which is added, An Essay on the Ligature of Arteries, by J. Aiken, Surgeon.

With engraved plates.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original calf*.

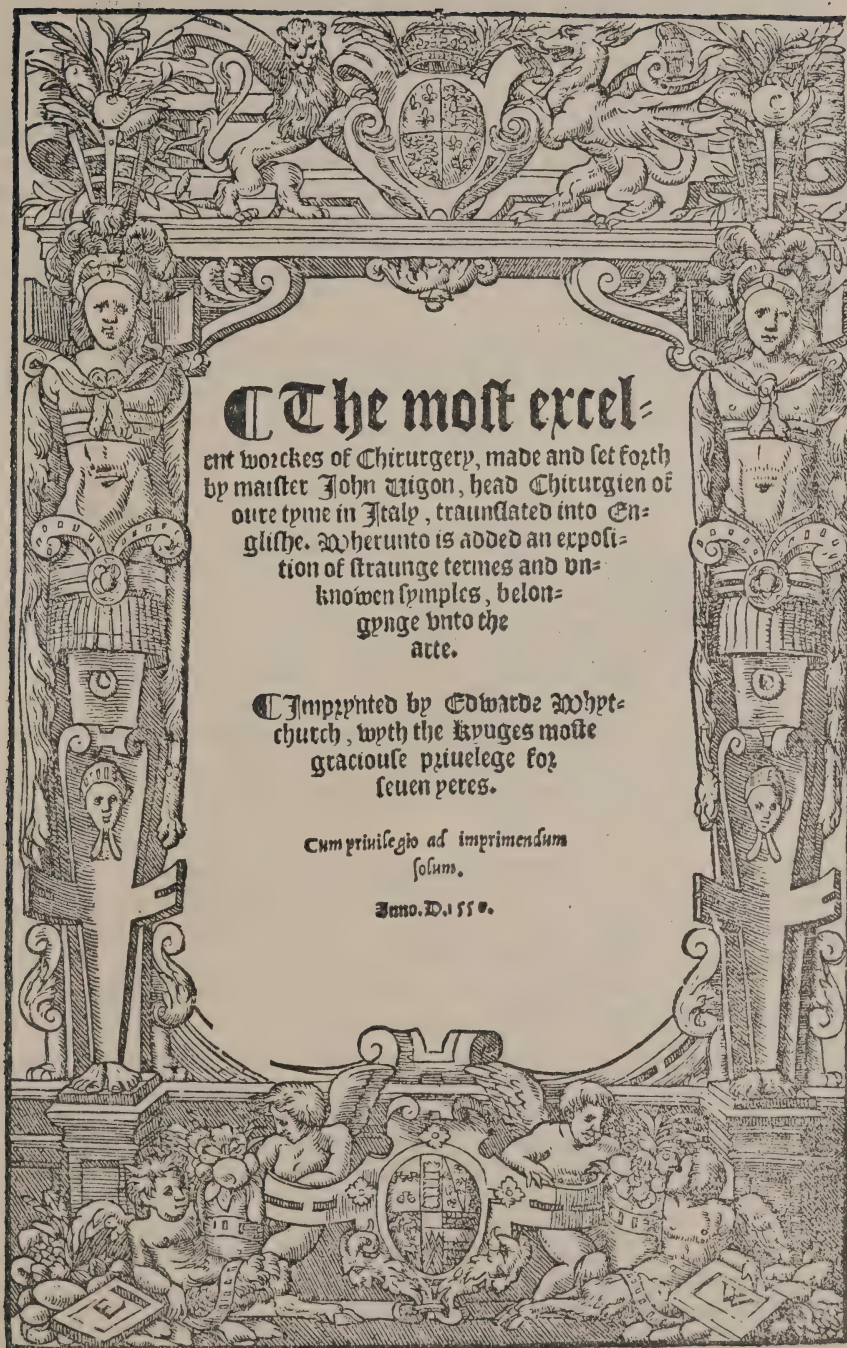
London, Printed for W. Johnston, 1770.

£3 3s

Inscribed on the fly-leaf:—

"To the Rt. Honble
The Earl of Stamford
from the Author."

Also contains the Earl of Stamford's bookplate.



The most excellent
worckes of Chirurgery, made and set forth
by maister John Wigan, head Chirurgien of
oure tyme in Italy, traunslated into En-
glishe. Wherunto is added an exposi-
tion of straunge termes and vn-
knowne symples, belon-
gynge vnto the
arte.

Imprinted by Edwarde Whyt-
church, wyth the Kruges moste
graciouse priuelege for
seuen yeres.

*Cum privilegio ad imprimendum
solum.*

Anno. D. 1557.

MEDICAL—*continued.*

- 1018 WIRTZUNG (Christopher). THE GENERAL PRACTISE OF PHYSICKE; Containing all inward and outward parts of the body, with all accidents and infirmities that are incident unto them, even from the crowne of the head to the sole of the foote; Written in the Germane tongue, and now Translated into English, in divers places corrected, and with many additions illustrated and augmented, by Jacob Mosari.

BLACK LETTER. Thick folio, *original calf, with gold stamp on sides.*

London, George Bishop, 1605.

£14 14s

"Also by what means (with the help of God), they may be remedied: very meet and profitable, not only for Phisitions, Chirurgions, Apothecaries, and Midwives, but for all other estates whatsoever; the like whereof as yet in English hath not bene published."

- 1019 MERCURIUS DEMOCRITUS, or, A TRUE AND PERFECT NOCTURNALL, communicating Wonderfull News out of the World in the Moon, the Antipodes, Tenebris, Fary-land, Egypt, Green-land, and other adjacent Countries. Published for the right understanding of all the Mad-merry People of Great-Bedlam.

8 pp., small 4to, *unbound.* June 1—9, 1652.

£1 10s

No. 10 of a series evidently published weekly, but complete in itself. Interspersed with pieces in verse.

- 1020 MERCURIUS MERCURIORUM, STULTISSIMUS. Written for the use of the Assembly of Divines sitting at Westminster, 1647.

8pp., small 4to, *unbound.*

Printed in the Yeare, 1647.

£1 10s

- 1021 MERCURIUS PRAGMATICUS. Communicating Intelligence from Parts, touching all affaires, Designes, Humors, and Conditions throughout the Kingdom. Especially from Westminster, and the Head-Quarters.

8pp., small 4to, *unbound.* June 13—20, 1648.

£1 10s

No. 12 of a series evidently published weekly, but complete in itself. Interspersed with pieces in verse.

- 1022 MERITON (George). ANGLORUM GESTA; or, a Brief History of England. Being an Exact Account of the most Remarkable Revolutions and most Memorable Occurrences and Transactions in Peace and War . . . that have happened in the several Kings Reigns since the first Attempt by Julius Caesar upon this Island to the 29th Year of the Reign of His Majesty King Charles II., 1677. With several useful Catalogues of the present Nobility, etc.

The Second Edition carefully Corrected, Enlarged, and Continued to this present Time. By E. P.

With engraved portrait of Charles II.

Thick small 8vo, *original calf.*

London, Printed by T. Damks, for Thos. Basset, 1678.

£5 5s

Referring to Sir Francis Drake's Voyage round the world, the Colonisation of Virginia, the execution of Charles I, etc., etc.

- 1023 MEXIA (Pedro). THE HISTORIE OF ALL THE ROMANE EMPERORS, beginning with Caius Julius Caesar, and successively ending with Rodulph the second now reigning.

First collected in Spanish by Pedro Mexia, since enlarged in Italian by Lodovico Dulce and Girolamo Bardi, and now englished by W. T(raharon).

Title within woodcut border, and woodcut portrait of each Emperor above the account of the reign.

FIRST EDITION IN ENGLISH. Folio, *original calf (worn)*.

London, Printed for Matthew Lownes, 1604. £5 5s

Traheron appears to have been a soldier in Holland, probably under Colonel Horatio Vere to whom the book is dedicated, and to have left the service through consequent ill-health.

- 1024 ——— TIMES STORE-HOUSE: Containing the learned Collections, Judicious Readings, and memorable Observations of sundry Personages, English, French, Italian, Spanish, &c. upon divers Subiects as will appeare by the severall heades in the page following: all of them no lesse useful then delightful, etc.

With the beautiful engraved title by R. Elstracke.

FIRST EDITION. Thick folio, *original vellum*.

London, Printed by William Jaggard, 1619. £10 10s

From the Library of Sir Roger Twysden, with his Autograph and date 1622 on title, and his Autograph again on fly-leaf.

MILITARY.

- 1025 BARRET (Robert). THE THEORIKE AND PRACTIKE OF MODERNE WARRES.

Discoursed in Dialogue wise: Wherein is declared the Neglect of discipline: the inconvenience thereof: the imperfections of manie training Captaines: a redresse by due regard had: the fittest weapons for our Moderne Warre: the use of the same: the parts of a perfect souldier in generall and in particular: the Officers in degrees, with their severall duties: inbattailing of men in formes now most in use: with figures and tables to the same: with sundrie other martiall points.

Large woodcut Coat of Arms on reverse of title, and numerous diagrams in the text.

FIRST EDITION. Folio, *original vellum binding*.

London, Printed for William Ponsonby, 1598. £25

Dedicated to Henry Earl of Pembroke, and William Lord Herbert of Cardiff, his son. This latter is the supposed Mr. W. H. of Shakespeare's Sonnets.

This work by Barret on Moderhe Warres is stated by Chalmers to be alluded to in Shakespeare's "All's Well that Ends Well."

MILITARY—continued.

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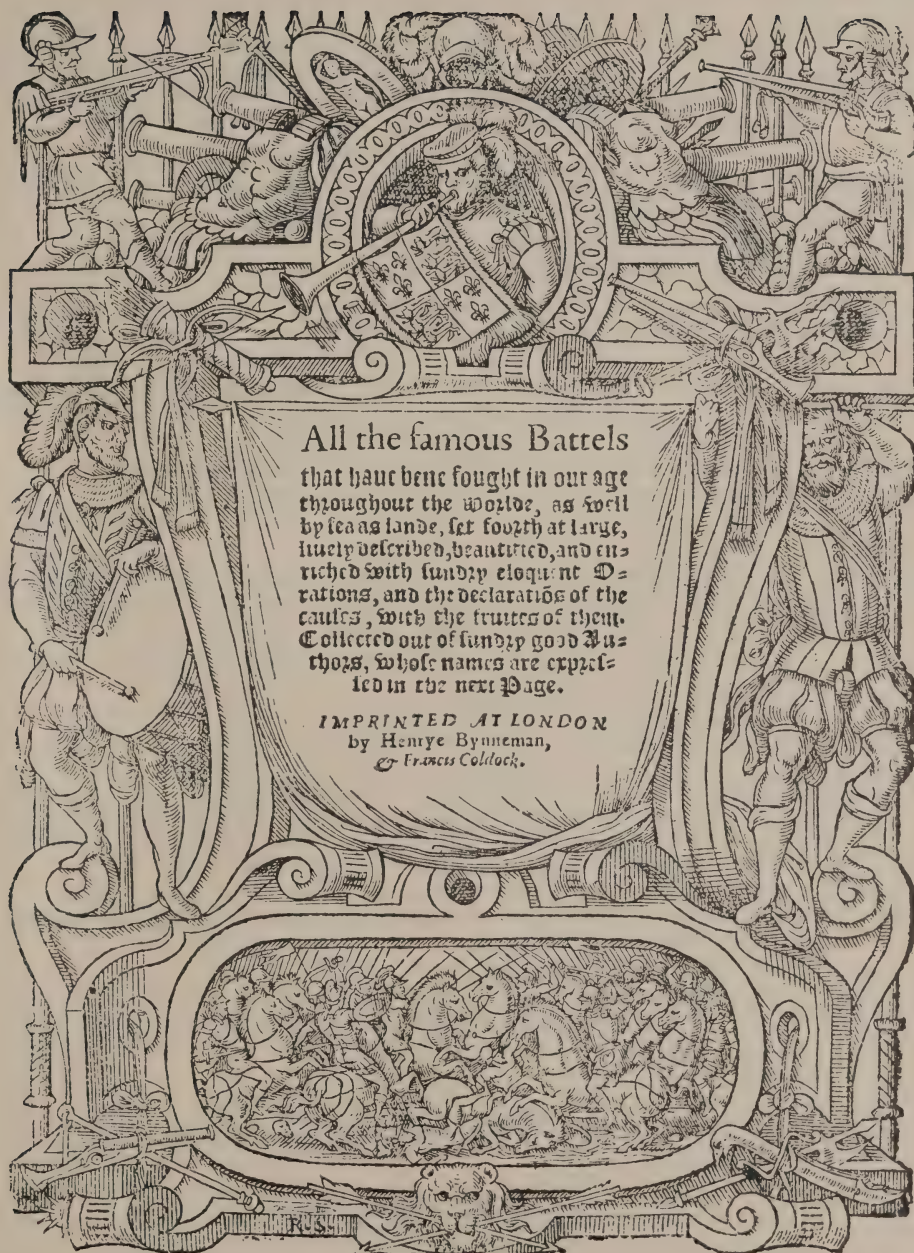
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Drake ("Shakespear and his Times") remarks:—

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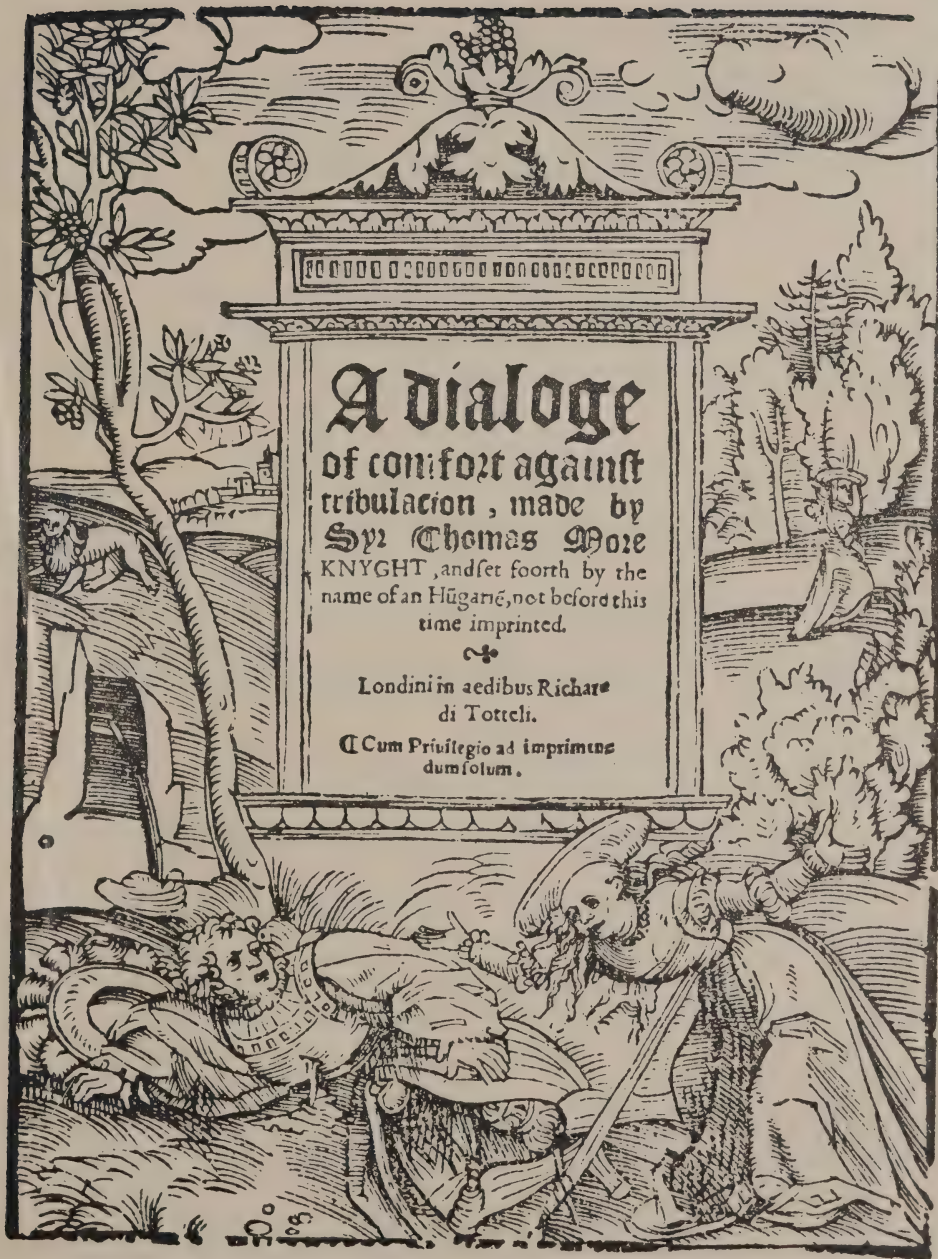
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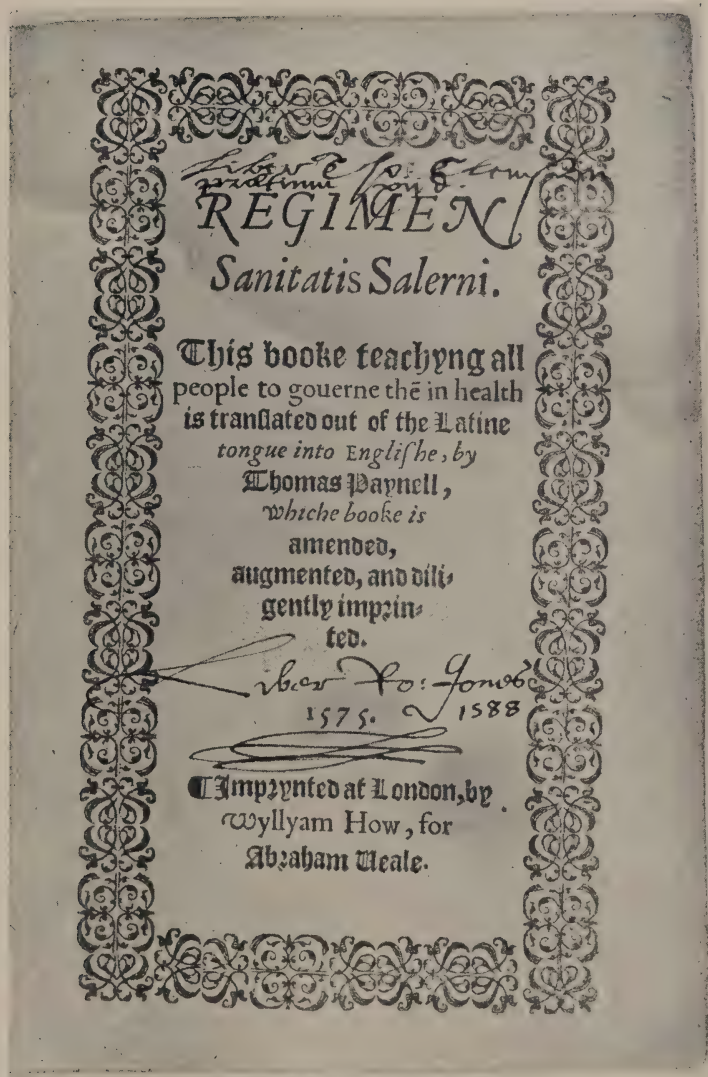
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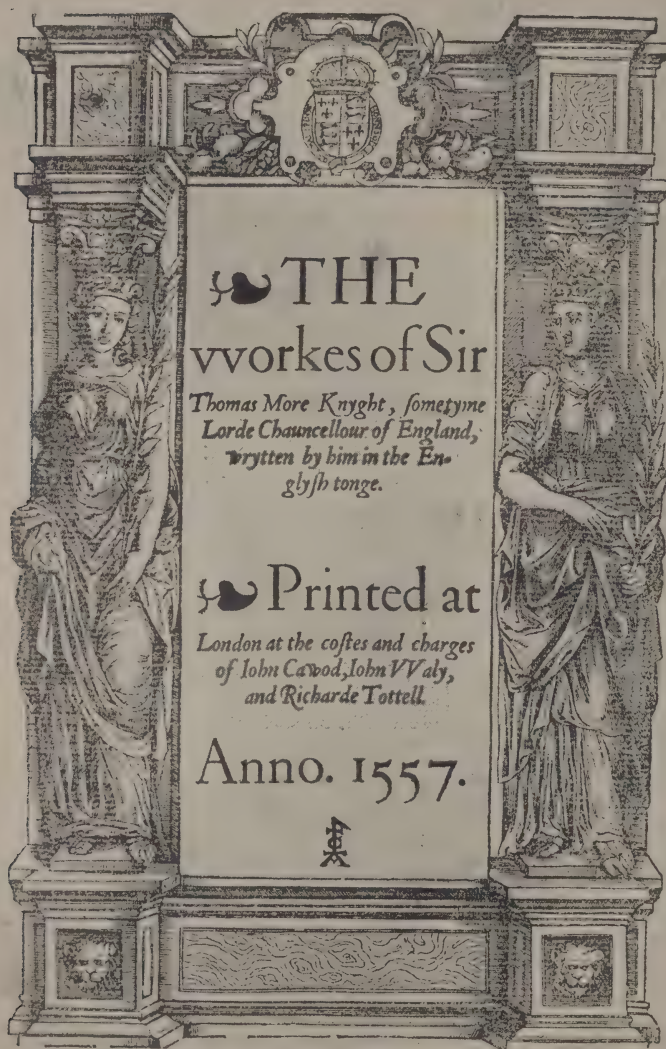
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- 1220 PRIESTLEY (Joseph). THE HISTORY AND PRESENT STATE OF DISCOVERIES relating to Vision, Light, and Colours. *With numerous folding plates.*

FIRST EDITION. Thick 4to, *original calf*.

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£3 10s

- 1221 ——— THE HISTORY AND PRESENT STATE OF ELECTRICITY, with original Experiments. *With folding engraved plates.*

FIRST EDITION. Thick 4to, *original calf (repaired)*.

London, Printed for J. Dodsley, 1767.

£5 5s

This important work was undertaken at the instigation of Benjamin Franklin. Priestley's electrical work is mostly sound, and much of it brilliant, showing him at his best. His "History of Electricity" supplies an excellent account of previous work both treated historically, and summarised systematically, and his own reflections and experiments described in a "simple, exact, and artless style." In the second part Priestley enounces his views on scientific method, which he derived from Locke and possibly in part from Condillac. In his "History" he also anticipated Henry Cavendish and Charles Augustin de Coulomb in the important suggestion that the law of electric attraction is that of the inverse square, deducing this from an experiment suggested by Franklin.

- 1222 ——— THE HISTORY AND PRESENT STATE OF ELECTRICITY, with original Experiments. *With engraved plates.*

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(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

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"Old wytyches make a great mater of parynge of a manuis naylys."

Many of the English phrases used are quaint in the extreme:—

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"Nycromanciers have made astronomie litel set by."

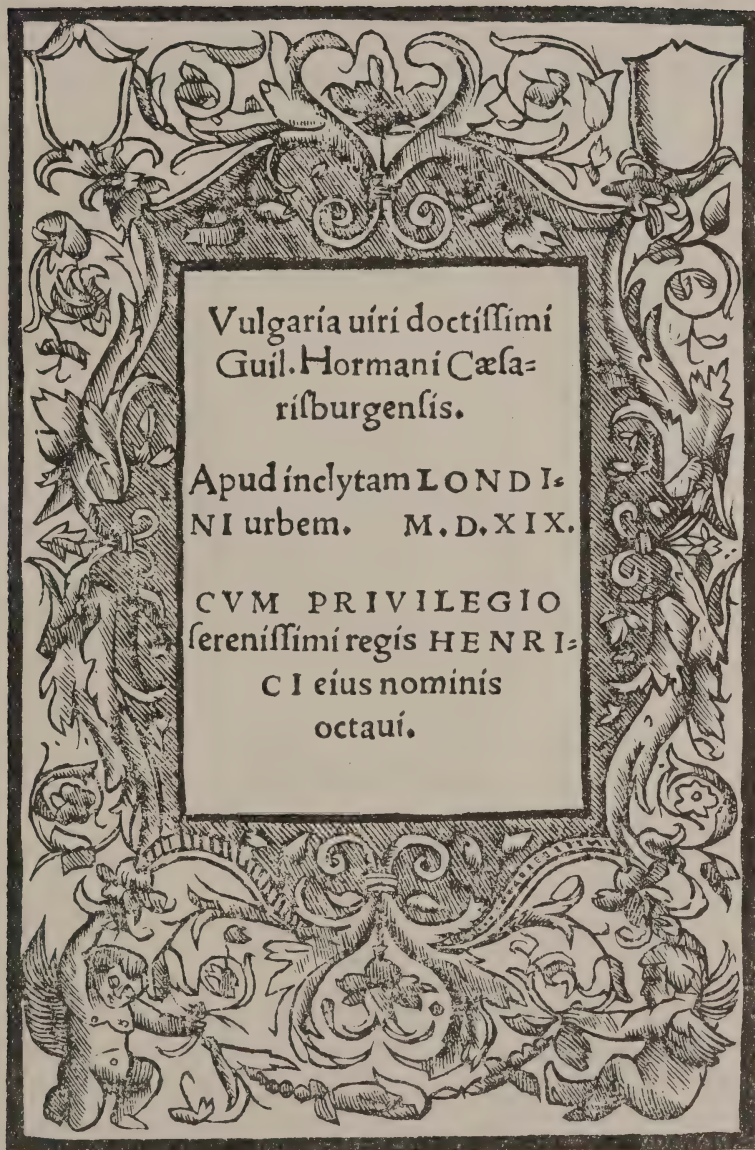
"Wyclyffe brought up a myschevous heresy."

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"The prynters have founde a crafte to make boks by brasen letters sette in ordre by a frame."

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See Item No. 1238.

- 1239 **QUAKERISM.** Fox (George). A JOURNAL or Historical Account of the Life, Travels, Sufferings, Christian Experiences and Labour of Love in the Work of the Ministry, of that Ancient, Eminent and Faithful Servant of Jesus Christ, George Fox; who departed this Life in great Peace with the Lord, the 13th of the 11th Month, 1690.

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£12 12s

This rare poetical volume, published after the author's death, is introduced to the reader by an address signed by J. Marriot. Internal evidence goes to show that this address was actually written by Isaac Walton, who is called a friend of the author. It contains an interesting description of a Trout Fisher, besides other matters of interest to the Angler. Quarles was himself well known as a keen angler.

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London, Henry Colburn, 1826.

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With the half-titles. Labels supplied.

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FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *unbound*.

London, Printed by M. S. for Rapha Harford, and Matthew Simmons,

1648.

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Col. Rainsborough, parliamentarian commander and vice-admiral, was actually killed in skirmish with a party of cavaliers during the siege of Pontefract.

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With engraved title by R. Elstrack, the "Minde of the Frontispiece," and the maps.

THE RARE FIRST EDITION. Thick folio, *original calf (repaired)*.

(Colophon) London, Printed by William Stansby for Walter Burre, and are to be sold at his Shop in Paules Churchyard at the signe of the Crane, 1614.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXIX.)

£45

This, the First Edition, contains the date 1614, both on the engraved title-page and colophon at end.

It was rigidly suppressed by order of King James 1st, in spite of the laudatory notice given him. This issue has neither printed title or portrait.

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Cited by Caldecott in his notes on Hamlet. Capell's "Catalogue of Shakespeareana," No. 187. The first part contains a curious note of Banks and his horse—the dancing horse of "Love's Labours Lost." (Consult Steevens' notes on this play).

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- 1255 ——— THE LIFE AND DEATH OF MAHOMET, The Conquest of Spaine together with the Rysing and Ruine of the Sarazen Empire.
With engraved portrait of Raleigh (outer margin slightly cut).
 FIRST EDITION. 12mo, polished calf, i.e.g.
London, Printed by R. H. for Daniel Frere, 1637. £4 4s
- PRINTED ABROAD.
- 1256 ——— THE PREROGATIVE OF PARLAMENTS IN ENGLAND: Proved in a Dialogue (pro and contra) betweene a Councillour of State and a Justice of Peace.
 FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, calf.
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- 1257 RELIGIO JURISPRUDENTIS: or, The Lawyer's Advice to His Son. In Counsels, Essays, and other Miscellanies. Calculated chiefly to prevent the Miscarriages of Youth, and for the Orthodox Establishment of their Morals in Years of Maturity. Per Philanthropum.
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London, Printed for J. Harrison, 1685. £3 10s
 With four pages of verse at the beginning, three at the end, and further verses throughout the text.
- 1258 RALPH (James). MISCELLANEOUS POEMS, by Several Hands: particularly the D— of W—n, Sir Samuel Garth, Dean S(wift), M. John Hughes, Mr. Thomson, Mrs. C—r. Publish'd by Mr. Ralph.
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London, Printed by C. Ackers, for W. Meadows, etc., 1729. £4 4s
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The poem begins:—

"No salting here these many years was seene
Salt hath with us long out of season bene,"

and satirizes by a number of Randolph's contemporaries under the figure of dishes at a feast. Most of the names can be identified as at Trinity in the period 1624-1627.

The practice of salting may be illustrated from two quotations in the Oxford English Dictionary.—Fraunce Lawiers Logike, 1588—"Having more knowne the price of an admission, Salting, and Matriculation, with the intertayning of Freshmenne in the Rhetorike schooles." Twyne in MS. Twyne XXI (Bodley) 1644.—"The salting of fresh men which hath been antiently and is yet at Oxford used at their first comminge." Here it appears to be employed as a satirical form for bantering men of different years, having apparently fallen into disuse (at Trinity, Cambridge, at least), in its original form at this time.

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With crude woodcut on the title.

8 pp., small 4to, *wrappers, some edges uncut.*

London, Printed for R. H., 1650.

£3 15s

The verses occupy about a full page.

- 1262 RAVENSCROFT (Edward). THE ANATOMIST: or, The Sham Doctor. Written by Mr. Ravenscroft, with The Loves of Mars and Venus. A Play Set to Music. Written by Mr. Motteux. As they are Acted together at the New Theatre, in Little Lincolns-Inn-Fields.

FIRST EDITION. 4to, *half morocco.*

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Ruggle's Latin comedy was suggested by Giambattista Porta's "Trappolaria," but was certainly no slavish imitation of the Italian piece. It was devised as a satire on lawyers, Ruggle's hero, the lawyer Ignoramus, is intended to represent the recorder of Cambridge, Francis Brakin. The comedy was performed before James I in 1615. John Chamberlain, the letter-writer, reported that "the thing was full of mirth and variety, with many excellent actors." Further, Chamberlain writes "the piece hath so nettled the lawyers that they are almost out of patience." Ruggle's work gave rise to numerous "rhymes and ballads" circulated in the lawyer's defence. Subsequently the poet Cowley warned poets not to quarrel with scholars, "lest some one take spleen and another 'Ignoramus' make."

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- 1459 ——— ORIGINAL PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY JAMES I., pardoning those concerned in "that outrageous and seditious assault, which was made upon the late Spanish Ambassadors House at the Barbican." Pointing that all grievances must be settled by Court of Law and not privately by force of arms. BLACK LETTER. Printed on the recto of two folio sheets. Royal Arms at head.
Given at Whitehall, the tenth day of September, in the sixteenth yeere of Our Reigne.
Imprinted at London by Bonham Norton, and John Bill, 1618. £3 3s
- 1460 SPANISH DICTIONARY. STEVENS (Capt. John). A NEW SPANISH AND ENGLISH DICTIONARY: Collected from the Best Spanish Authors, Both Ancient and Modern.
To which is added, A Copious English and Spanish Dictionary. Likewise a Spanish Grammar, more Complete and Easy than any hitherto extant: including Dialogues in Spanish and English.
FIRST EDITION. Large folio, *original calf (new morocco back)*.
London, Printed for George Sawbridge, 1706. £3 10s
A fine copy.
- 1461 SPEED (John). THEATRUM IMPERII MAGNAE BRITANNIAE; Exactam Regnorum Angliae Scotiae Hiberniae et Insularum adiacentium Geographia ob oculos ponens: una cum Comitatibus, Centuriis, Urbibus et primariis Comitatum oppidis, intra Regnum Angliae divisis et descriptis.
Title within engraved border and 67 double-page maps with pictorial borderings, etc.
FIRST EDITION IN LATIN. Translated by Philemon Holland.
Large folio, *original calf, with the Royal Arms of James I in the centre of each cover, to whom the work is dedicated, joints repaired.*
Imprinted at London, excusum apud Joann: Sudbury et Georg. Humble, 1616.
(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE NO. XXXI.) £45

SPEED (John)—*continued*.

- 1462 SPEED (John). BATT UPON BATT. A Poem upon the Parts, Patience, and Pains of Barthol, Kempster, Clerk, Poet, Cutler, of Holy-Rood-Parish in Southampton. To which is annexed the Vision, wherein is described Batt's Person and Ingenuity; with an Account of the Ancient and Present State and Glory of Southampton.

FIRST EDITION. 8 pp., folio, *calf*.

London, Printed for Bevis of Southampton. and Aspacarade the Gyant,
1680. £2 15s

- 1463 ——— BATT UPON BATT. A Poem upon the Parts, Patience, and Pains, of Barth. Kempster, Clerk, Poet, Cutler, of Holy-Rood-Parish in Southampton.
12 pp., small 4to, *unbound*.

London, Printed for Samuel Crouch, 1680. £1 10s

A folio edition was published in the same year, bearing the imprint: "London: Printed for Bevis of Southampton, and Aspacarade the Gyant." This latter we presume to be the actual first edition.

THE EARLIEST REFERENCE TO SHAKESPEARE.

- 1464 SPENSER (Edmund). COLIN CLOUTS COME HOME AGAINE.

Title within ornamental border. THE RARE FIRST EDITION.

Small 4to, *fine copy in full dark blue morocco, g.e. by Riviere.*

London, Printed for William Ponsonbie, 1595.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OVERLEAF.)

£45

With dedication to Sir Walter Raleigh (2 pp.).

This scarce book has considerable interest, apart from its poetic value, from the fact that Ingleby cites it, as the EARLIEST BOOK KNOWN CONTAINING A REFERENCE TO SHAKESPEARE.

"And there, though last not least in AETION

A gentle shepheard may no where be found;

Whose Muse, full of high thoughts invention,

Doth like himselfe HEROICALLY sound."

That Spenser's stanza on AETION really refers to Shakespeare is established by the fact that no other heroic poet (i.e. historical dramatist, or character in heroic verse), had a surname of heroic sound. Jonson, Fuller, and Bancroft have similar allusions to Shakespeare's warlike name.

Also contains "Astrophel. A Pastorall Elegie upon the death of the most Noble and valorous Knight, Sir Philip Sidney" and other poems.

As is usually the case, three or four leaves, which are rather larger than the rest of the book, are just shaved by the binder.

- 1465 ——— WORKS. With a Glossary Explaining the old and Obscure Words. Publish'd by Mr. Hughes. *With engraved plates.*

6 vols., 8vo, *fine copy in calf gilt, g.e.*

London, Printed for Jacob Tonson, 1715.

£6 6s

- 1466 A SPEECH IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS, against The Doctrine of Deposing Kings for Male Administration, and for the Lineal Descent of the Crown of England to the next in Blood.

4 pp., folio, *fine copy, unbound, fore and lower edges uncut.*

London, 1712.

15s

COLIN CLOVTS
Come home againe.

By Ed. Spencer.



LONDON
Printed for *William Ponsonbie.*
1595.

See item No. 1464.

SPORT.

- 1467 ANGLING. BOWLER (Richard). THE ART OF ANGLING IMPROVED, in all its parts, Especially Fly-Fishing: containing a particular Account of the several Sorts of Freshwater Fish, with their most proper Baits, etc.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *half calf*.

Worcester, Printed by M. Oliver (1758).

£3 15s

- 1468 ——— [CHETHAN (James)]. THE ANGLER'S VADE MECUM: or, A Compendious, yet full, Discourse of Angling: Discovering the aptest Methods and ways, exactest Rules, properest Baits, and choicest Experiments for the catching all manner of fresh-water Fish, etc.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *original calf (rebacked)*.

London, Printed for Tho. Bassett, 1681.

£10 10s

The first edition was published anonymously.

Chethan's prefaces are in Diogenes' vein, curt and caustic; he escapes from the category of manual makers, and takes rank as one of the original writers of the sport. He is indebted, indeed, to his forerunners, but acknowledges it; he improves on their systems, and calls attention to the fact. He is never servile, nor plagiaristic, always honest, sometimes a little surly.

- 1469 ——— H. (R.). THE ANGLER'S SURE GUIDE: or, Angling Improved and Methodically Digested, Shewing, I. When, and how to gather and provide the best Materials for Fishing Tackle. II. The most proper Baits, etc., etc.

With engraved frontispiece and plate of fish.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original calf (rebacked)*.

London, Printed by J. H. for G. Conyers, 1706.

£4 4s

Generally attributed to Robert Howlett.

- 1470 ——— NOBBES (Robert). THE COMPLEAT TROLLER: or, the Art of Trolling. With a Description of all the Utensils, Instruments, Tackling, and Materials requisite thereto. With Rules and Directions how to use them. As also a brief Account of most of the Principal Rivers in England.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *full red morocco, g.e.*

London, Printed by T. James for Tho. Helder, 1682.

£8 8s

Worming repaired, affecting the wording on a few leaves.

Nobbes is commonly called "The father of trollers." He was the earliest to discourse at large on the subject, though others had preceded him with brief references.

Prefixed are two commendatory poems, also two original ones by Nobbes himself: "On the Antiquity and Invention of Fishing, and its Praise in general" (6 pp.), and "The Fisherman's Wish" (1 page).

- 1471 ——— [NORTH (Hon. Roger)]. A DISCOURSE OF FISH AND FISH-PONDS. By a Person of Honour.

The Second Edition. London, Printed for E. Curll, 1715.

THE WHOLE ART OF FISHING, being a Collection and Improvement of all that has been written upon this Subject, with many new Experiments, shewing the different ways of Angling.

FIRST EDITION. With the rare engraved frontispiece.

London, Curll, 1714.

The two vols. in 1, small 8vo, *original calf*.

£3 10s

SPORT—*continued.*

- 1472 BERNERS (Juliana). THE GENTLEMANS ACADEMIE: or, The Booke of S. Albans. Containing three most exact and excellent Bookes; the first of Hawking, the second of all the proper terms of Hunting, and the last of Armorie. All compiled by Juliana Barnes, in the yere from the incarnation of Christ 1486. And now reduced into a better method, by G. M.

With woodcut coat-of-Arms.

FIRST EDITION EDITED BY GERVASE MARKHAM.

8vo, *fine copy in full dark green morocco gilt, g.e. by Mackenzie.*

London, Printed for Humfrey Lownes, and are to be sold at his shop in Paules church-yard, 1595.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£195

Small repair to one corner of title, otherwise a fine large copy.

With dedication by Markham, "To the Gentlemen of England: and all the good fellowship of Huntsmen and Falconers."

With separate titles to the "Treatise of Hunting," and "The Booke of Armorie," and the original blank leaves between these two books.

Juliana Berners (c. 1461), a sister of Lord Berners, and Prioress of the Nunnery of Sopewell, composed what is regarded as the great literary curiosity of the time, a work, containing treatises on hawking, hunting, and heraldry, which was first printed in 1486.

- 1473 GAME. ACT FOR PRESERVING THE GAME.

Printed on one side of a small folio sheet, arms at head. *Uncut, contained in buckram case.*

Circa, 1705.

£5 10s

"Our Sovereign Lady, with Advice and Consent of Parliament, statutes and ordains, that no person shall hereafter Kill or Destroy Muir-fowls from the first of March to the twentieth of June, nor Partridges from the first of March to the first of August, under a Penalty of 50 lib. Scots," etc.

- 1474 H. (R.). THE SCHOOL OF RECREATION: or, a Guide to the Most Ingenious Exercises of Hunting, Riding, Racing, Fireworks, Military Discipline, The Science of Defence, Hawking, Tennis, Bowling, Ringing, Singing, Cock-Fighting, Fowling, Angling.

With the scarce frontispiece divided into six compartments shewing Hunting, Shooting, Cock-Fighting, Angling, Bowling, and Fowling.

12mo, *old calf (rebacked).* London, 1701.

£4 4s

- 1475 HUNTING LAWS. ORIGINAL PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY JAMES I., forbidding the unlawful hunting of Deer and Game within the Royal Forests, Parks and Chases. Making it an offence to own "Deere Hayes, Buckstalles, Dogges, Gunnes, Crosse-bowers, Nettes and other Engines" for this purpose.

BLACK LETTER. *Printed on one side of a folio sheet.*

Given at our Manour of Greenwich the sixteenth day of May in the first yeere of our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1603.

£7 10s

The Gentlemans Academie.

OR,

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Containing three most exact and excellent Bookes:
the first of Hawking, the second of all the proper
termes of Hunting, and the last of Armorie : all
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incarnation of Christ 1486.

And now reduced into a better method,
by G. M.



L O N D O N

Printed for Humfrey Lownes, and are to be
sold at his shop in Paules church-yard.

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See item No. 1472.

SPORT: HUNTING LAWS—*continued.*

ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT DATED 1562.

1476 ——— CARTA FORESTE. The Original Manuscript written in the early years of Queen Elizabeth's reign, on 146 pages, and devoted to the Laws of the Forest and the Hunting Rights therein.

Folio, in its original calf binding. 1562.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXXII.)

£35

On the fly-leaf is the following inscription and date: —

Leonardus Danet emitto
ame Johanne Thatcher.

Londinensi vicesimo primo
die mensis Martii anno
domini. 1562.

This important English manuscript on the Hunting Laws of the Forest is one of the earliest known, and it pre-dates by 36 years the treatise published by Manwood. It is evidently the work of John Thatcher.

The book is divided into chapters:—

FOREST. What thing dothe make a forest, and how a forest is made, what thinges be incident to a forest, who maie have a forest, and what difference is betwene a forest, chase, warren, and park:

"The forest is a place fytt for wylde beastes in the protection of ye king for ye pleasure and sporte of ye same, and not for all beastes, but for beastes belonging to the wood, that is to saie: for hawks, males and females, deer, sanglier, wilde hogge, wilde bulles, and lyen, wilde beares, and haieres, wilde ratte, foxes, wolves, squirrelle, and for all other beastes of venery and vermyns of chase. And none may chase within ye forest, at anie of the beastes afore-said, without the Kings licence." Etc.

JUSTICES. "What law is used in a forest and the authoritie of the Justices." Etc.

DISTRESSE. "What thyng the forresters shall have. The forester shall have the left shoulder of every deare or lamb, which shalbe slaine within ye forest, and where he him selfe doth kill the beaste, he shall have the skyhne, and the parson of the churche shall have the right shoulder." Etc.

CHASING. "A man shall lose his life for killing a wild beaste having . . . or other notorious signe about his neck. A priest shalbe taken for chasing in the forest. An Archbishop shall not be taken for chasing. . . . If any man be founde killing of wild beastes in the forest he shalbe imprisoned.

BEASTES. "Nowe it is to be seen what lordes may take wilde beastes by this Article and who cannot.

Ffirste the Statute doth not speake but of Archbishoppes, Bishoppes, Erles, or Barons. But if a prince be coming towards the King by his commandement, he shall have the Benifitt of this Article, and the same law is of a marquis, etc.

Also the eldest sonne of a Duke is an Erle, and the eldest sonne of an Erle is a Baron and every sonne of a Duke or Marquis a lorde, but they cannot take the benifitt of this Statute for they are not pieres of the Realme.

What beastes a man shall take. . . . By these wourdes it is not lymitted what beastes he shall take, but it is supposed that he shall take wilde beastes, and it is not matter of what kyndes or sortes he do take, be it hawke, deer, Bull or Sanglier." Etc.

HAWKES. "If any hawke distresses in a wood they are the lordes of the wood. The owners of the wood shall have a writt of trespas for taking of hawkes out of their nestes within the wood." Etc.

No man upon paine of fine may flea a heron out of his owne ground, except that he flea him without a lare or falcon or other hawke of praye, etc.

BEEES. "Ffor the taking of honny and wax from any manner of tree."

OUTLAWS. "How and by what prooves a man shalbe outlawed for trespas done in the forest."

VENERIE. "Nowe it is to be seen what thing shalbe understood by this worde De Venarione—Beastes of venary, wild bulles and bores, beavers, hare, etc."

SPORT: HUNTING LAWS—*continued.*

- 1477 ——— ORIGINAL PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY JAMES I., forbidding unlawful hunting, stealing, or killing of deer within the Royal Forests, Chases, and Parks, under severe penalty.

BLACK LETTER. Printed on the recto of two folio sheets.

Given at our Honour of Hampton Court the ix day of September, in the seventh yeere of our Reigne.

Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1609. £8 8s

"We had hoped, seeing it is notorious to all our Subiects, how greatly We delight in the exercise of Hunting, as well for our recreation, as for the necessary presentation of our health, that no man in whom was either reverence to our person, or feare of our Lawes, would have offered us offence in those our sports." Etc.

- 1478 NEWMARKET: or, AN ESSAY ON THE TURF. Containing, amongst other grave and weighty matters, a Parallel between Newmarket Races and the Olympic Games.

2 vols., small 8vo, *fine copy in original half calf.*

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- 1479 SEYMOUR (Richard). THE COURT GAMESTER: or, Full and Easy Instructions for Playing the Games now in Vogue, after the best Method; as they are Play'd at Court, and in the Assemblies, viz.: Ombre, Picquet, and the Royal Game of Chess. Wherein the Frauds in Play are detected, and the Laws of each Game annex'd to prevent Disputes.

Written for the Use of the Young Princesses.

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- 1481 SPRAT (Thomas). OBSERVATIONS ON MONSIEUR DE SORBIER'S VOYAGE INTO ENGLAND. Written to Dr. Wren, Professor of Astronomy in Oxford, by Thomas Sprat, Fellow of the Royal Society.

Small 8vo, *original calf.*

In the Savoy, Printed for John Martyn, and James Allestry, 1668.

£2 10s

Thomas Sprat, Bishop of Rochester and Dean of Westminster, was born at Beaminstor in Dorset in 1635. The above is Sprat's most important work. Samuel de Sorbière, a Frenchman, had published in 1664 a work entitled "Relation d'un Voyage en Angleterre," in which he touched upon some of the defects of the national character. Sprat, with some assistance from Evelyn, composed the above biting reply. It is addressed to his friend and frequent correspondent, Christopher Wren. It was a popular vindication of Englishmen, praised by Addison as "full of just satire and ingenuity." Johnson's comment on it was that it was "not ill performed, but perhaps rewarded with at least its full proportion of praise."

- 1482 S. (R.). THE COUNTER-SCUFFLE. Whereunto is added the Counter-Rat.

With engraving on title of an uproarous scene over the dining-table in the "Counter" or Cromptor Prison, and a full-page woodcut showing the exterior of the prison with officials and prisoners.

Small 4to, full polished calf gilt.

London, Printed by R. B. and are to be sold by Andrew Crook, 165—.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE NO. XXXIII.)

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A very curious piece, in verse throughout.

- 1483 STAFFORD (William, Viscount). STAFFORD'S MEMOIRES: or, A Brief and Impartial Account of the Birth and Quality, Imprisonment, Tryal, Principles, Declaration, Comportment, Devotion, Last Speech, and Final End, of William, Late Lord Viscount Stafford. Beheaded on Tower-hill Wednesday the 29 of Decemb., 1680.

Whereunto is annexed a short Appendix concerning some Passages in Stephen Colledges Tryal. The whole now again set forth, for a more ample Illustration of that so wonderfully Zealous Pamphlet, Entituled, The Papists Bloody After-Game.

Small 8vo, original black morocco gilt, g.e.

London, Printed in the Year, 1682.

£2 10s

PRINTED BY ROBERT REDMAN.

- 1484 STATUTES. THE GREAT BOKE OF STATUTES conteynnyng all the statutes made in the parliamentes from the begynnyng of the fyrst yere of the reigne of kyng Edward the thyrde tyll the begynnyng of the xxv. yere of the moste gracyous reigne of our soveraigne lorde kyng Henry the viii.

With fine woodcut on title representing the King on his throne surrounded by courtiers, and on the reverse a large cut of the Arms of England with Tudor emblems.

BLACK LETTER. Folio, half morocco.

(Colophon) Imprinted at London by Robert Redman cum privilegio Regali, N.D. (c. 1544).

(SEE ILLUSTRATION ON COVER.)

£48

Of extreme rarity, being entirely unknown to Herbert. The first part of the work only, containing the statutes in English from I Edward III (1327) to I Richard III (1483).

- 1485 ——— THE GREAT BOKE OF STATUTES. "Statutes made from the begynnyng of the fyrst yere of the reigne of Kyng Edward the thyrde tyll the begynnyng of the xxv. yere of the moste gracyous reigne of our soveraigne lorde Kyng Henry the viii."

Imprinted at London by Robert Redman, N.D.

"The Second Volume conteynnyng those Statutes, which have been made in the tyme of the most victorious reigne of kynge Henrie the Eyght."

Londini in aedibus Thomas Bertheleti, 1551.

STATUTES: THE GREAT BOKE OF STATUTES—*continued*.

"Statutes made in the Parliament begon at Westminster the fourthe daie of November, in the first yere of the reigne of our moste dread sovereigne lord Edward the VI."

Richardus Grafton, 1549.

BLACK LETTER. 2 vols., thick small folio, *old calf*. £55

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With Acts concerning the Pardon of Jewes dettes; Sale of Wynes; Wolles; Clothe; furre; Weyghtes and measures; Laborers wages; Goldsmythes; Fyshe; Corne; Magna Charta; Fraytyng of English Shippes; Heresies; Owen Gleyndour; Jack Cade; Archers; etc., etc.

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FIRST EDITION. 4to, *unbound, edges entirely uncut, sewn as issued. Contained in a buckram case.*

London, Printed by Sam. Buckley, 1714. £15 15s

- 1487 ——— THE CRISIS. FIRST EDITION.

Small 4to, *half morocco*. *London, 1714.* £3 10s

- 1488 ——— THE ENGLISHMAN: Being the Sequel of the Guardian.

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- 1489 ——— THE STATE OF THE CASE between the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, and the Governor of the Royal Company of Comedians. With the Opinions of Pemberton, Northey, and Parker, concerning the Theatre.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *calf*.

London, Printed for W. Chetwood, etc., 1720. £2 10s

Early in 1719 Steele was involved in a painful controversy with his lifelong friend Addison. He started a periodical called the "Plebeian," to denounce Lord Sunderland's bill for limiting the power of creating new peers. Addison replied acrimoniously in the "Old Wrig." Steele's opposition to the measure led indirectly to the withdrawal by the Duke of Newcastle, in January, 1720, of the Drury Lane patent. With the last occurrence is connected the establishment of the most interesting of Steele's later periodical efforts, "The Theatre." The above pamphlet is concerned with his defence, citing the patent granted to the Drury Lane Theatre, 1719.

STEELE (Sir Richard)—*continued.*

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FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *calf.*

London, Printed for Richard Baldwin, 1682.

£2 15s

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"THE PHRASEOLOGY OF SHAKESPEARE."

1493 STEPHEN (Henry). A WORLD OF WONDERS: or, an Introduction to a Treatise touching the Conformitie of ancient and moderne wonders: or a Preparative Treatise to the Apologie for Herodotus. The Argument whereof is taken from the Apologie for Herodotus written in Latine by Henrie Stephen, and continued here by the Author himself.

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Dobroot, or mynde for leade golde ore silver, and make
tyle or bracke and surge like. But by the amment assent
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tute a man was not suffered to make a Cartwaye.
in the fforest as it appereth where it is sayd, Rex
precepto q. nullus Tannator neq. dealbator noriorum
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A man may by this
Statute have cove
of hawke in his
wood &c.

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London, Printed by John Norton, for Richard Best, and are to be sold at his Shop neere Grayes-Inne-gate in Holborne. 1640.

£45

Prefixed to this rare volume are several copies of commendatory verses by friends, including R. Brome, C. Gerbier, T. Nabbes, R. Chamberlaine, and Thomas Rawlins. At sig. F, is an elegy on John Day. The volume is dedicated to Sir John Winter, Secretary of State, and Master of Requests. At sig. I, occurs a fresh title: "Love Crownes the End. A Pastorall presented by the Scholleees of Bingham in the County of Nottingham in the yeare 1632."

This collection of epithalamiums, epigrams, acrostics, epistles, etc., many addressed to Clarinda, is of very uncommon occurrence. Of the few copies known to exist, many, including the Huth copy, are defective. The above is a good crisp copy in the original binding, untouched in any way. At the end there is an apology for the errors of the press in consequence of "the obscurity of the Coppie and absence of the Author."

- 1550 TAYLOR (Jeremy). THE GREAT EXEMPLAR OF SANCTITY AND HOLY LIFE according to the Christian Institution. Described in the History of the Life and Death of the ever Blessed Jesus Christ the Saviour of the World. In three parts.

FIRST EDITION. Thick small 4to, original calf.

London, Printed by R. N. for Francis Ash, 1649.

£5 5s

- 1551 [TAYLOR (John)]. THE DECOY DUCK: Together with the Discovery of the Knot in the Dragons Tayle.

With large woodcut on title, in two compartments, one showing Archbishop Williams signing a protest to the King, and the other representing him flying, leading the eleven other protesting bishops to confinement in the Tower of London. Another woodcut on the recto of the last leaf represents a seven-headed dragon.

FIRST EDITION. 8 pp., small 4to, unbound.

Printed at London for F. Couls, 1642

(SEE ILLUSTRATION OPPOSITE.)

£10 10s

Two leaves very slightly cut into at foot.

The Decoy Duck:

Together with the Discovery
of the Knot in the Dragons
Tayle called &c.



Printed at London for F. Couls, T. Bates, I. Wright, and T. Banks. 1642.

See item No. 1551.

TAYLOR (John)—*continued.*

- 1552 ——— AN HUMBLE DESIRED UNION BETWEEN PREROGATIVE AND PRIVILEGE. Shewing, that if one draw too hard one way, and the other another, the whole Common-wealth must be in danger to be pull'd in sunder.

With curious woodcut on title of "The Serpent Amphisbena," its two heads pulling in opposite directions.

FIRST EDITION. 8 pp., small 4to. *Fine copy, unbound, uncut at foot. Imprinted at London by Richard Olton, 1642.* £15 15s

A scarce pamphlet by John Taylor, the "water-poet."

With a four line verse on the title and another of six lines in the text.

- 1553 ——— THE LIAR; or, A Contradiction to those who in the titles of their Bookes affirmed them to be true, when they were false: although mine are all true, yet I term them lyes.

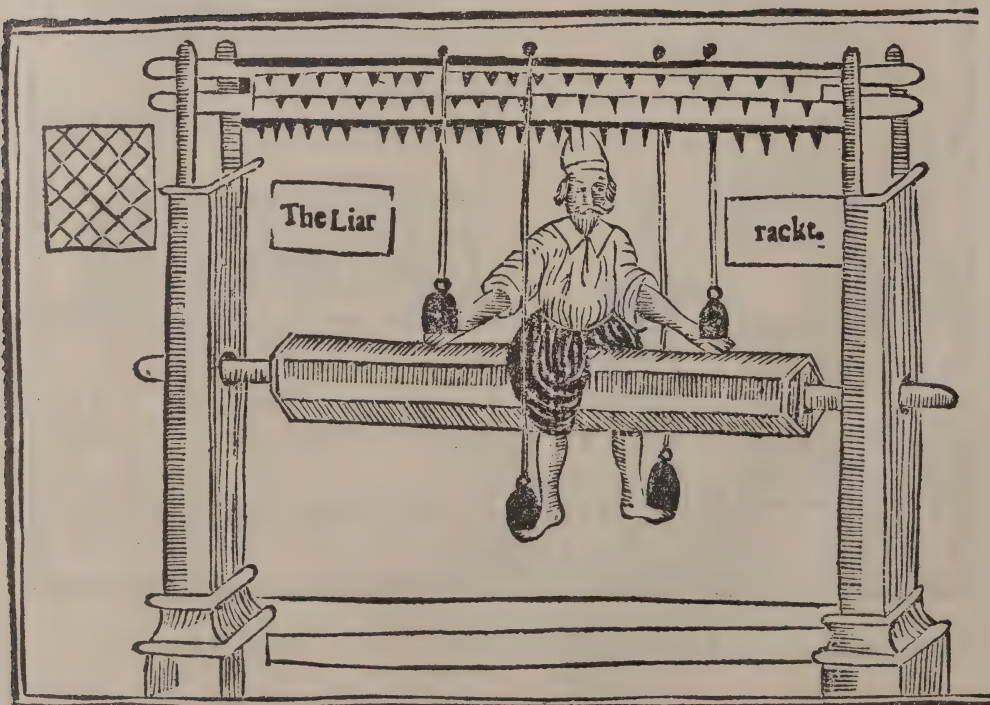
With large and curious woodcut on title of "The Liar rackt."

FIRST EDITION. 8 pp., small 4to, *unbound.*

Printed in the yeare 1641.

£12 12s.

Outer ruling of the woodcut just cut, otherwise fine copy.



TAYLOR (John)—*continued.*

- 1554 ——— MERCURIES MESSAGE DEFENDED, Against the vain, foolish, simple, and absurd cavils of Thomas Herbert a ridiculous Ballad-maker.

With large woodcut on the title, representing Thomas Herbert holding a pamphlet inscribed "Herbert's Answer." By his side is the Gallows, and the Hangman has already placed the noose round Herbert's neck.

FIRST EDITION. 24 pp., small 4to. *Fine copy in half morocco.*

London, Printed 1641.

£10 10s

- 1555 ——— WHAT WILL YOU HAVE? A Calf with a White Face; or, A Relation of his Travailes from England into Ireland, Scotland, Poland, Holland, Amsterdam, and other places, and is now newly arrived in the Citie of London, where he meanes to abide.

Curious woodcut on title of a Cavalier, a calf with a white face, and three Puritans.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, boards.

Printed at London, 1649.

£12 10s

Listed as by John Taylor in the Wrenn Library Catalogue, Vol. 5, p. 27.



TAYLOR (John)—*continued.*

- 1556 ——— THE WHOLE LIFE AND PROGRESSE OF HENRY WALKER THE IRONMONGER.
First, The Manner of his Conversation.

Secondly, The severall offences, and Scandalous Pamphlets the said Walker hath writ, and for which he is now a Prisoner in New-Gate.

Thirdly, The forme of the Indictment which is laid against him, by the King Sergeants at Law, and his learned Counsell.

Fourthly, His Conviction by the Jury, etc.

FIRST EDITION. Small 4to, *half calf*.

Printed at London, 1642.

£10 10s

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Edinburgi, Apud Hamilton, Balfour, et Neill, 1758.

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Small 4to, *buckram, uncut.*

London, Printed for J. Roberts (1743).

£2 10s

- 1559 ——— [WHITEHEAD (Paul).] QUERIES UPON QUERIES, to be answer'd by the Male-content Player. For the Satisfaction of the Publick, in regard to the present Dispute between them and the Manager.

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Fleetwood's mismanagement of the Drury Lane Theatre led to the serious dispute of 1743. The actors, headed by Garrick and Macklin, seceded; but, failing to get a license to play elsewhere, were forced to return to Drury Lane. They had agreed to stand or fall together, and Fleetwood's refusal to receive Macklin again, to whom he ascribed the revolt, led to a violent dispute between Garrick and Macklin. Numerous pamphlets appeared for and against Fleetwood during the original dispute, his champion being Paul Whitehead, and William Guthrie writing on the actor's side.

- 1560 THEOBALD (Lewis). THE LIFE AND CHARACTER OF MARCUS PORTIUS CATO UTICENSIS: collected from Plutarch in the Greek, and from Lucan, Salust, Lucius Florus, and other Authors in the Latin Tongue. Design'd for the Readers of Cato, a Tragedy.

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- 1561 THOMAS BECKET, SAINT, ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY.

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4to, handsome modern binding of polished sheepskin, gilt, g.e.

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FIRST EDITION OF THE FIRST PRINTED "LIFE" OF ST. THOMAS A'BECKET.

This life of St. Thomas, written about 1199 by Henry, Abbot of Croyland (Lincolnshire), was compiled from the writings of four contemporary biographers of à Becket, all men who had been intimately associated with Becket and his cause against King Henry II:—John of Salisbury, Herbert of Bosham (secretary to à Becket), William (?FitzStephen) of Canterbury, and Alan of Tewkesbury.

The curious legend concerning Thomas Becket's "Saracen" mother was propagated by this work.

Fine copy.

- 1562 THOMAS (William). PRINCIPAL RULES OF THE ITALIAN GRAMMER, with a Dictionaire for the better understanding of Boccace, Petrarcha, and Dante.

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Cited by Dyce in his Edition of "Romeo and Juliet." See also Drake's "Shakespeare and his Times," Vol. I, p. 57.

The above work was sent by Thomas from Padua in 1548, to his "verie good friende Maister [John] Tamworth at Venice." This Tamworth showed to Sir Walter Mildmay, who, approving of it, "caused it to be put in printe."

"Thomas's Italian grammar and dictionary were the first works of the kind ever published in English. All his works are remarkable for their methodical arrangement, his style is always lucid, and his English shows 'much better orthography than that current at a later period.'"—D.N.B.

- 1563 THOMSON (James). WORKS. With Additions and Corrections.

Engraved portrait and plates. 3 vols., 8vo, original calf.

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- 1564 [THOMSON (William).] THE MAN IN THE MOON; or, Travels into the Lunar Regions, by the Man of the People.

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A satirical novel after the manner of Swift.

- 1565 THREE LOOKS OVER LINCOLN: being A Suspicious treacherie of the Bishop of York, the late Bishop of Lincoln. Concerning, His provision of Arms, Pistols, Muskets, and other great store of Ammunition; being a suppositorie design against the Parliament and CITY OF LONDON, etc.

8 pp., small 4to, *unbound*.

London, Printed for John Greensmith, 1642.

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- 1566 TILLY (William). ORATIO FUNEBRIS, LABITA IN SACELLO C.C.C. OXON. Secundo die mensis Maii Ann, 1714, in Exequiis Reverendi, atque Optimi Viri, Thomæ Turner, S.T.P., ejusdem Collegii Præsidis Nuperrime defuncti.

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FIRST EDITION. 12 pp., folio, *fine copy, unbound, partly uncut.*

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- 1567 TOBACCO. LACY (J.) Merchant. OBSERVATIONS ON THE NATURE, USE, AND TRADE OF TOBACCO.

4 pp., folio. *London, March, 1733.*

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This work was issued by Lacy to advertise his own Tobacco, but he gives an interesting prose description of the origin of Tobacco, tracing this history down to his own day. To do so he refers to Purchas's Voyage to America, Comments of various Doctors, the Cost of Tobacco, etc., ending with:—

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A little rubbed where once folded.

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- 1569 TOPSELL (Edward). THE HISTORY OF FOUR-FOOTED BEASTS, AND SERPENTS: Describing at Large their True and Lively Figure, their several Names, Conditions, Kinds, Virtues (both Natural and Medicinal), Countries of their Breed, their Creation, Preservation, and Detruccion. Interwoven with curious variety of Historical Narrations out of Scriptures, Fathers, Philosophers Physicians, etc., both pleasant and profitable for Students in all Faculties and Professions. Collected out of the Writings of Conradus Gesner, and other Authors, by Edward Topsel.

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Of considerable poetical interest. Containing hundreds of quotations in latin verse, the majority being rendered into English poetry by Edward Topsel, in some cases amounting to between thirty and forty lines of English verse at a time.

With separate title-page to Moffett's treatise.

This remarkably curious volume has been cited by annotators of Shakespeare as illustrating the Natural History of his Plays. Isaac Walton, too, in his "Compleat Angler," makes use of it as an authority, and indeed the book was much consulted in the 17th century, both for its quaint illustrations and its descriptions.

Topsel's chief title to fame is as the compiler of this elaborate manual of Zoology. He reflected the credulity of his age, but his exhaustive account of the prevailing zoological traditions and beliefs gives his work great historical value.

Haller in his notes on Herman Boerhaave's "Methodus Studii Medici" praises Moffett for the copiousness of the species described and the character of the engravings, and while admitting that he gave credence to too many fabulous reports, acknowledged him to be the prince of entomologists before John Swammerdam (1637-1680).

1570 TORSHELL (Samuel). A HELPE TO CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP : or, a Discourse tending to the advancement and spirituall improvements of holy Societie.

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1571 TRADESCANT (John). MUSAEUM TRADESCANTIANUM: or, a Collection of Rarities. Preserved at South-Lambeth near London.

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"Thus John Tradeskin starves our greedy eyes
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- 1572 TRAPP (Joseph). THE AGE OF RIDDLES: or, A true List of certain extraordinary Positions, formerly called contradictions, but now distinguish'd by no Name at all.
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London, Printed for T. W., 1642. 12s 6d
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- 1578 TUNSTALL (Cuthbert). CUTHBERTI TONSTALLI, in Laudem Matrimoni Oratio, habita in sponsalibus Mariae potentissimi Regis Angliae Henrici Octavi filiae, et Francisci Christianissimi Francorum Regis Primogeniti.

Title within pictorial woodcut border by Hans Holbein and printer's device at end.

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(Colophon) Basileae apud Jo. Frobenium, mense Februario, Anno M.D.XIX. £14 14s

Mary, the only surviving child of Henry VIII and Catherine of Aragon; and afterwards Mary I Queen of England, was born at Greenwich Palace in 1516. Before she left her cradle she had become a recognised factor in his father's political intrigues with his two continental rivals, Francis I and Charles V. On 28 Feb., 1517-1518 a son was born to Francis, and Wolsey straightway opened negotiations for a marriage between Mary and the new-born heir of France. On 5 Oct., 1518, bridal ceremonies took place at Greenwich amid a splendour which suggested to the Venetian ambassador a comparison with the court of Cleopatra or Caligula. Cuthbert Tunstall, who was present at the betrothal, delivered the above oration in praise of matrimony.

- 1579 TURKEY. GRELOT (William Joseph). A LATE VOYAGE TO CONSTANTINOPLE: Containing an exact Description of the Propontis and Hellespont, with the Dardanel, and what else is remarkable in those Seas. Likewise an Account of the Ancient and present State of the Greek Church; With the Religion and Manner of Worship of the Turks. Made English by J. Philips.

With engraved portrait of Mahomet the Fourth by John Sturt, and plates by F. H. Van Houe.

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- 1580 ——— A NARRATIVE OF THE SUCCESS OF THE VOYAGE of the Right Honourable Heneage Finch, Earl of Winchelsea, Viscount Maidstone, Baron Fitz Herbert of Eastwell, etc., His Majesties Ambassadors extraordinary to the High & Mighty Prince Sultan Mamet Han, Emperour of Turkey, from Smyrna to Constantinople; His Arrival there, the manner of his Entertainment and Audience with the Grand Vizier and Grand Seignior.

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- 1581 TURNER ('Colonel' James). THE LIFE AND DEATH OF JAMES COMMONLY CALLED COLONEL TURNER, Executed at Lime-street end January the 21, 1663, for a Burglary and Fellony committed in the House of Mr. Francis Tryon of Lime-street, Merchant.

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The other pieces consist of:—

"The Speech and Department of Col. James Turner."

London: William Godbid, 1663.

"The Triumph of Truth: in An Exact and Impartial Relation of the Life and Conversation of Col. James Turner."

London, 1663.

"A Relation of the Tryal and Examination of Col. James Turner, John Turner, William Turner, etc."

London: Printed for H.M., 1663.

- 1582 TUTCHIN (John). AN ELEGY ON MR. JOHN TUTCHIN, Author of the Observator, who departed this Life on Tuesday, the 23d of this Instant September, 1707, in the 44th year of his Age. Who dy'd a Martyr for the Publick Cause.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.

London, Printed, and Sold by B. Bragge in Pater-Noster-Row, (1707).

£3 10s

John Tutchin (1661?-1707), whig, pamphleteer and poet. An ally of Defoe, through frequently quarrelling with him, provoking "The True-born Englishman," Established "The Observator," 1702, as a whig organ.

- 1583 THE TWO SOSIAS.

Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a narrow folio sheet.

No Imprint, (c. 1690).

£1 5s

Evidently referring to engraved portraits of Charles I and Cromwell.

- 1584 TYRIE (James). THE REFUTATION OF ANE ANSWER MADE BE SCHIR JOHNE KNOX, to ane letter, sent be James Tyrie, to his umquhyle brother. Sett furth be James Tyrie.

Printer's device on title.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *original calf.*

Parisiis; Apud Thomam brumenium in clauso brunello sub signo Olivae,

1573.

(SEE ILLUSTRATION, PLATE No. XXXIV.)

£37 10s

Of extreme rarity, copies having been publicly burnt at Dundee. James Tyrie, jesuit theologian, was born in 1543, educated at St. Andrews University, and with other young Scotsmen, went abroad with Edmund Hay, the latter acting as the companion and guide to the jesuit Nicolas de Gouda, papal envoy to Mary Stuart in 1562. He became a jesuit at Rome in 1563, afterwards returning to Paris. From thence he corresponded with his brother David, with the object of winning him back to the Roman Church. One of these controversial letters, dealing with the question of the visibility of the church, was submitted at the close of 1566 to John Knox in order that he might write a reply to it. This Knox did at once, but for some unexplained reason he set aside his manuscript until shortly before his death in 1572, when he printed it at St. Andrews under the title "An Answer to a Letter of a Jesuit named Tyrie, be Johne Knox." The Jesuit immediately published the above rejoinder, the preface of which is "daitit at Paris the 8 of Merche 1573," that is, after the death of Knox, and twelve months after that of David Tyrie, to whom the original letter was written. This publication caused considerable stir, several replies being written.

- 1585 TYRONE (Hugh O'Neill, second Earl of). ORIGINAL PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY JAMES I., fully pardoning the Earl of Tyrone for his previous rebellions and disloyalty in Ireland, restoring him to the full dignity of an Earl and commanding all persons to pay him fitting respect.

BLACK LETTER. Printed on one side of a large folio sheet.

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Imprinted at London by Robert Barker, 1603.

£3 3s

- 1586 [VANBURGH (Sir John).] THE PROVOK'D WIFE: a Comedy, As it is Acted at the New Theatre, in Little Lincolns-Inn-Fields.

FIRST EDITION. 4to, calf (old style).

London, Printed by J. O. for R. Wellington, 1697.

£4 4s

With the half-title.

- 1587 VAN ET TEN (Henry). MATHEMATICAL RECREATIONS: or, A Collection of many Problems extracted out of the Ancient and Modern Philosophers: as, Secrets and Experiments in Arithmetick, Geometry, Cosmography, Horologgiography, Astronomy, Navigation, Musick, Opticks, Architecture, Statick, Mechanicks, Chymistry, Water-Works, Fire-Works, &c. Whereunto is added, The Description and Use of the Double Horizontal Dial, and the General Horological Ring: Invented and Written by William Oughtred.

With engraved title (cut close) depicting various curious experiments, verse before the title signed W. S., and numerous small engravings in the text.

8vo, fine copy in original calf.

London, Printed for William Leake, and John Leake, 1674.

£4 4s

- 1588 VAUGHAN (Thomas). A GRAMMAR OF THE TURKISH LANGUAGE.

With engraved plates.

FIRST EDITION. 8vo, original calf.

London, Printed by J. Humfreys, for Jonathan Robinson, 1709.

£1 1s

- 1589 VAUTS (Moses). THE HUSBAND'S AUTHORITY UNVAIL'D; wherein it is moderately discussed whether it be fit or lawfull for a good Man, to beat his bad Wife.

From an inner Cloyster of the Temple; By MOSES A VAUTS, a faithfull Votary and free Denison of the Common-wealth of Israel.

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London, Printed by T. N. for Robert Bostock, 1650.

£7 10s

- 1590 VENNER (Tobias). VIA RECTA AD VITAM LONGAM: or, a Treatise wherein the right way and best manner living for attaining to a long and healthfull life is clearly demonstrated; with a compendious Treatise of the famous Baths of Bathe, and also an accurate Treatise concerning Tobacco.

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In the *Treatise concerning Tobacco* Venner attacks those who smoke between the courses at meals, and "cannot travel without a tobacco pipe at their mouth."

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- 1591 VERE (Sir Francis). COMMENTARIES. CONTEMPORARY MANUSCRIPT OF HIS MILITARY EXPLOITS. Written on 46 pages in an Elizabethan hand.

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The first expedition described in this Manuscript is that to CADIZ.

The second expedition the famous *Island Voyage* in the Summer of 1597.

This latter was the famous expedition in which Sir Walter Raleigh took part. He was also in the Cadiz expedition.

Sir Francis Vere's "Commentaries" were edited by William Dillingham, and printed in 1657, from a manuscript which he found in the library of a friend.

This is another contemporary manuscript which was evidently in the Oxford family.

PRESENTATION COPY FROM THE EDITOR TO MAJOR-GENERAL SKIPPON,
WHO IN THE PREFACE IS ATTRIBUTED WITH THE POSSESSION
OF ONE OF THE MANUSCRIPT COPIES OF THIS WORK.

- 1592 ——— THE COMMENTARIES OF SR. FRANCIS VERE, being diverse pieces of service, wherein he had command, written by himself in way of Commentary Published by William Dillingham, D.D.

With fine impressions of the three portraits by Faithorne, the folding plate of Vere's tomb by Gaywood, maps, battle-plans, etc.

FIRST EDITION, folio, original calf with clasps (rebacked).

Cambridge, Printed by John Field, 1657.

£18 18s

The above copy is of especial interest being presented by the editor to Major-General Philip Skippon, one of the most successful of the Parliamentary Generals during the Civil War, and from whose Manuscript this printed version of Vere's "Commentaries" was indirectly taken. The presentation inscription on the fly-leaf is as follows:—

"To the Honourable

Philip Skippon Major-General
this humbly presenteth

W. D."

In his "Epistle to the Reader," speaking of the source of the book, Dillingham says:—

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VORAGINE (J. de). LEGENDA AUREA—*continued*.

dence toke the legge of y^e capon in his keuercheffe, & affermed y^e same, and opened his keuercheffe to fore y^e pope, & he founde the legge turned in to a fysshe called a carpe. And when y^e pope saw it, he sayd they were not true men to say suche thynges of this good bysshop. They sayd faythfully yt it was flesshe yt he ete. And after this saynt Thomas came to y^e pope and dyd his reuerence & obedience, whome y^e pope welcomed. And after certayne comynycacyon he dmanded hym what meet yt he had eten, & he sayd flesshe, as ye haue herde to fore, bycause he coude fynde no fysshe, & very nede compelled him therto. Than the pope understode of the myracle yt the capons legge was turned in to a carpe, of his goodnes graunted to hym & to all of them of y^e dicoese of Canterbury lycence to ete flesshe euer after on saynt Markes days when it falleth on a flesshe day & pardon wt all, whiche is kepthe & accustomed unto this day."

"Conversion of a Jew."

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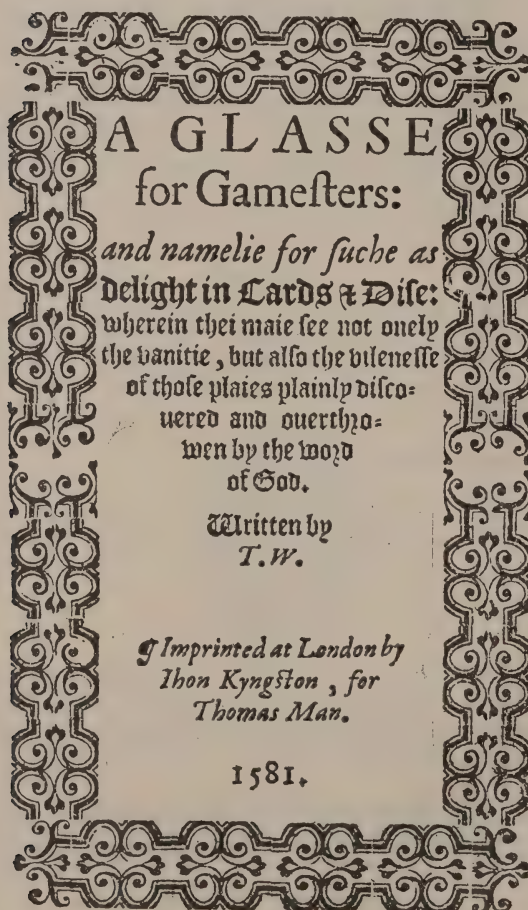
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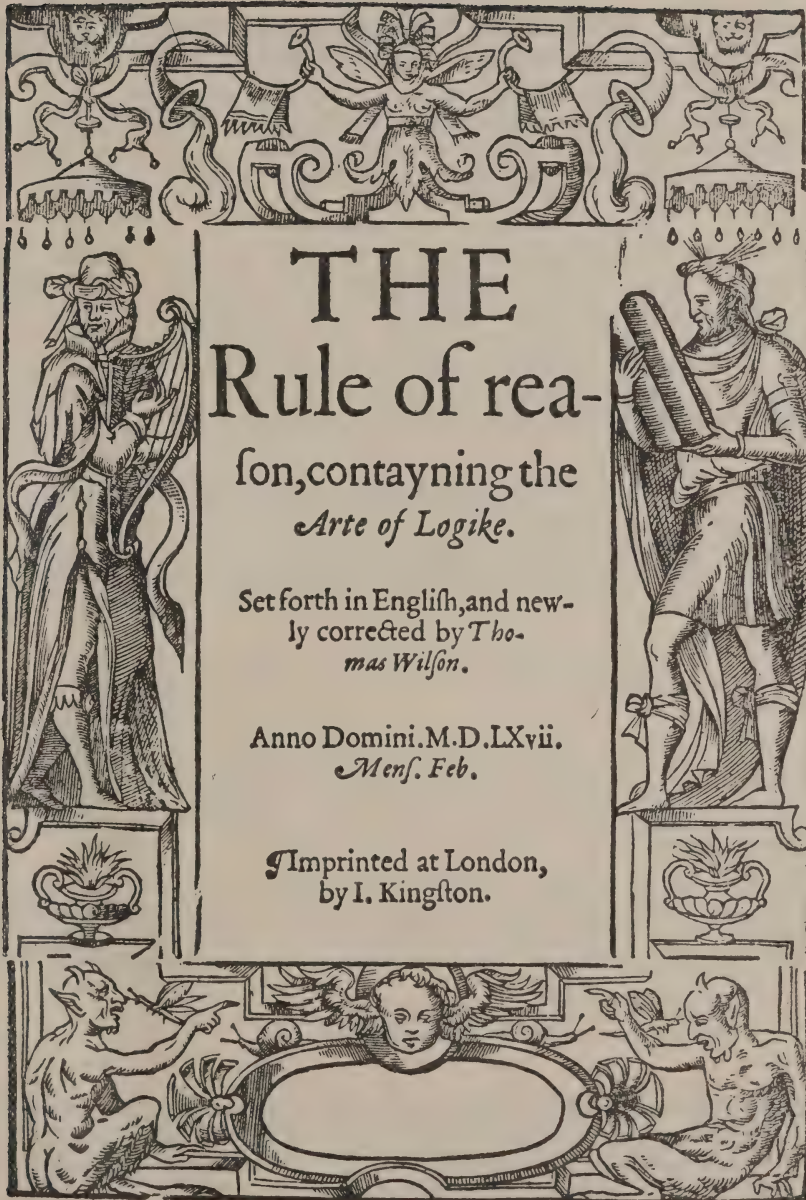
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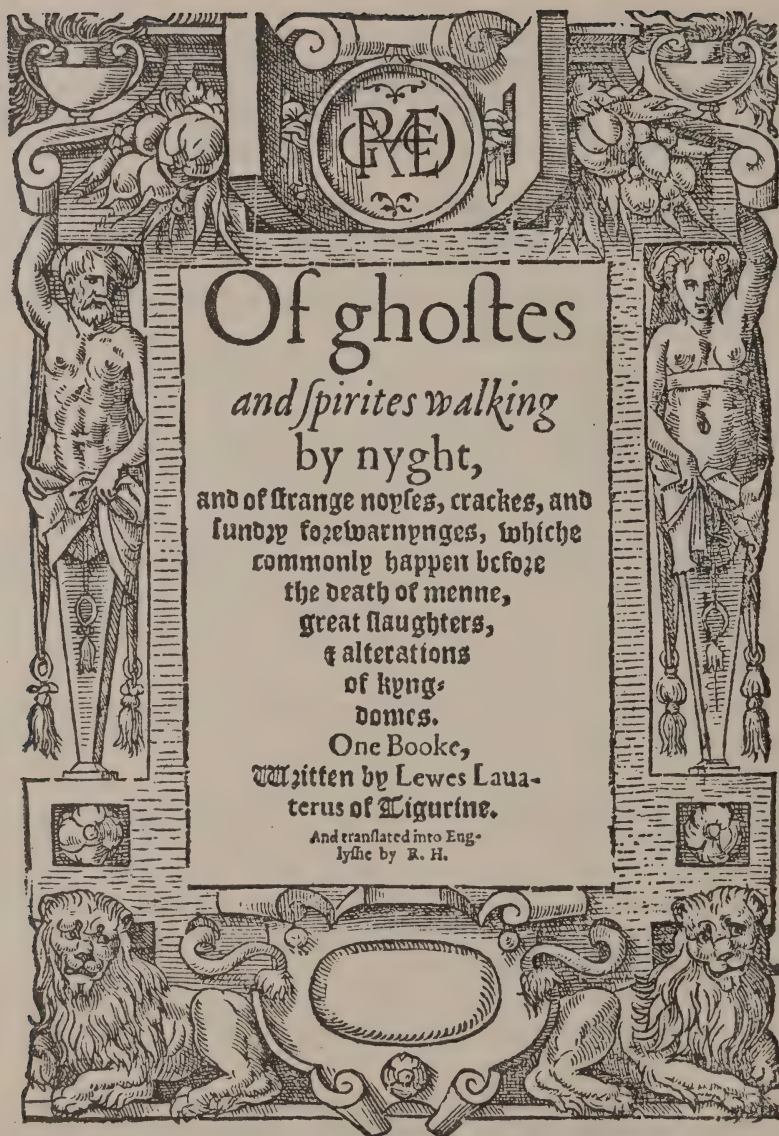
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- 1684 ——— POOR ROBIN'S OPINION of the Present Blazing Star, appearing in the North-East Part of the Heavens, this present year, 1677, which is far more Remarkable than any before of that Nature, by Reason of the strangeness of its position.
 4 pp., small folio, unbound.
London, Printed for D. W., 1677. £1 1s

ASTROLOGY—*continued.*

- 1685 ——— A TRUE ACCOUNT of this Present Blazing-Star. Presenting it self to the View of the World. This August, 1682, with sundry considerable Remarks and Observations thereupon. 2pp., folio.
London, Printed for L. Curtis, 1682. 18s

- 1686 BASKERVILLE PRESS. VIRGIL. PUBLII VIRGILII MARONIS BUCOLICA, GEORGICA, ET ÆNEIS.
Engraved frontispiece. Small 8vo, contemporary morocco, g.e. Birminghamiae, Typis Johannis Baskerville, 1766. £3 10s

WITH THE SUPPLEMENTARY LEAVES.

- 1687 BAXTER (Richard). THE SAINTS' EVERLASTING REST: or, a Treatise of the Blessed State of the Saints in their enjoyment of God in Glory.
 FIRST EDITION. Thick small 4to, full brown morocco, g.e.
London, Printed by Rob. White, for Thomas Underhil and Francis Tyton, 1650. £12 12s

Having at the end the four rare supplementary leaves, found only in a few copies, comprising "Broughton in the Conclusion of His Concert of Scripture" (4 pp.), and "A Poem of Master J. Herberts in his Temple" (4 pp.). This latter poem is entitled "Home."

Baxter was the creator of popular Christian literature. His "Saints' Everlasting Rest," regarded intrinsically, and as literature need fear no comparison with contemporaries. The beauty of its style and language has won it a permanent place in the literature of the nation.

Outer margin of the first four leaves repaired.

- 1688 BEAUMONT (Francis) and JOHN FLETCHER. WORKS.
With two engraved portraits by Geo. Vertue.
 10 vols., 8vo, original calf (joints weak).
London, Printed for J. and R. Tonson and S. Draper, 1750. £3 10s
 Some vols. a little stained and bindings rubbed.

THOMAS CARLYLE'S BIBLE.

- 1689 BIBLE. THE HOLY BIBLE, containing the Old and New Testaments.
Title within woodcut border.
 12mo, contemporary black morocco (Vol. I only).
London, Printed in the year, 1732. £3 10s

From the Library of Thomas Carlyle, essayist and historian, with his bookplate inside front cover.

Formerly in the possession of his wife, bearing her inscription at the end:—

"Jane Baillie Welsh
 her Bible and her
 New-testament. 1822."

Also bears inscriptions by other members of the Welsh family:—

"Katherine Welsh
 her Bible and her
 New-testament. 1770."

"Elizabeth Welsh
 her Bible and her
 New-testament. 1743."

BIBLES—*continued.*

- 1690 ——— THE NEW TESTAMENT of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.
Title within ornamental woodcut border. BLACK LETTER.
London, Printed by Robert Barker, 1631.
 THE WHOLE BOOKE OF PSALMES, Collected into English meeter by Thomas Sternhold, John Hopkins, and others.
Title within ornamental woodcut border. BLACK LETTER.
London, Printed by T. P. for the Company of Stationers, 1632.
 Bound together. Thick small 4to, *contemporary calf gilt, with large centre and corner ornaments, gilt gauffred edges (rebacked).*
London, 1631-32. £5 5s
- 1691 BINDING. ENGLISH EMBROIDERED BINDING. The Holy Bible, containing the Old and New Testament with the Apocrypha, and the Psalms in Meeter by Sternhold and Hopkins.
 Thick post 8vo, *elaborately bound in contemporary embroidered work, the back composed of roses, the sides decorated with roses and other flowers, stems and leaves, worked in various coloured silks and silver threads (back worn).*
London, 1614. £8 10s
- 1692 ——— FULLARTON-CARNEY (Jacob). DISPUTATIO JURIDICA, Ad. Tit. vi, Lib. XLIV Digest. De hitigiosis, quam, favente numine, etc.
 4to, *fine copy, bound in contemporary red morocco, the sides elaborately tooled with a circular design radiating from the centre, bordered by ornamentations of flowers, foliage, stars, etc., g.e. A good example of Scotch Eighteenth Century binding.*
Edinburgh, Apud Balfour et Smellie, 1734. £5 5s
 With original coloured floral end papers.
- 1693 ——— MASON (Francis). VINDICIAE ECCLESIAE ANGLICANAE; sive de Legitimo eiusdem Ministerio, id est, de Episcoporum Successione, Consecratione, Electione, etc.
 FIRST EDITION. Folio, *fine example of an early 17th Century London Binding of calf, with elaborate corner-pieces of "Lyonese" design stamped on a gold ground, in the centre a large gilt ornament of arabesque design, the background filled in with a series of rosettes, full gilt back, edges gilt and tooled "au pointillé," (joints repaired).*
Londini, Impressum per Felicem Kyngstonum, 1625. £34
 In all probability the Dedication Copy to King James I. From the library of George Dunh, of Woolley, Maidenhead. Mason's claim to remembrance rests on this vigorous defence of the authority of the Church of England, which procured for him the title of "Vindex Ecclesiae Anglicanae."
- UNCUT COPY.
- 1694 BOSWELL (James). THE JOURNAL OF A TOUR TO THE HEBRIDES, with Samuel Johnson, LL.D. Containing some Poetical Pieces by Dr. Johnson, relative to the Tour, and never before published, etc.
 FIRST EDITION. 8vo, *original half calf, uncut.*
London, Printed by Henry Baldwin, 1785. £35
 With the half-title and errata leaf at end.

- 1695 BOYLE (Robert). TRACTS: Containing I. Suspicions about some *Hidden Qualities of the Air*; with an *Appendix* touching Celestial Magnets. II. Animadversions upon Mr. Hobbes's *Problemata De Vacuo*. III. A Discourse of the cause of *Attraction by Suction*.

FIRST EDITION. Small 8vo, *original calf (rebacked)*.

London, Printed by W. G. 1674.

£3 10s

This work is composed of six tracts, each with a distinct sub-title (save the first), register and pagination.

- 1696 BRETON (Nicholas). CHARACTERS UPON ESSAIES MORALL, AND DIVINE, Written for those good spirits, that will take them in good part, and make use of them to good purpose.

THE VERY RARE FIRST EDITION.

12mo, *fine copy bound by Riviere in full morocco gilt*.

London, Printed by Edw. Griffin, for John Gwillim, 1615.

£150

This excessively rare little work sold for £580 in the Christie Miller Sale.

With commendatory poems prefixed by W(illiam) D(rummond), R(ichard) B(rathwait), and others (4 pp.). Dedicated by Breton to Sir Francis Bacon.

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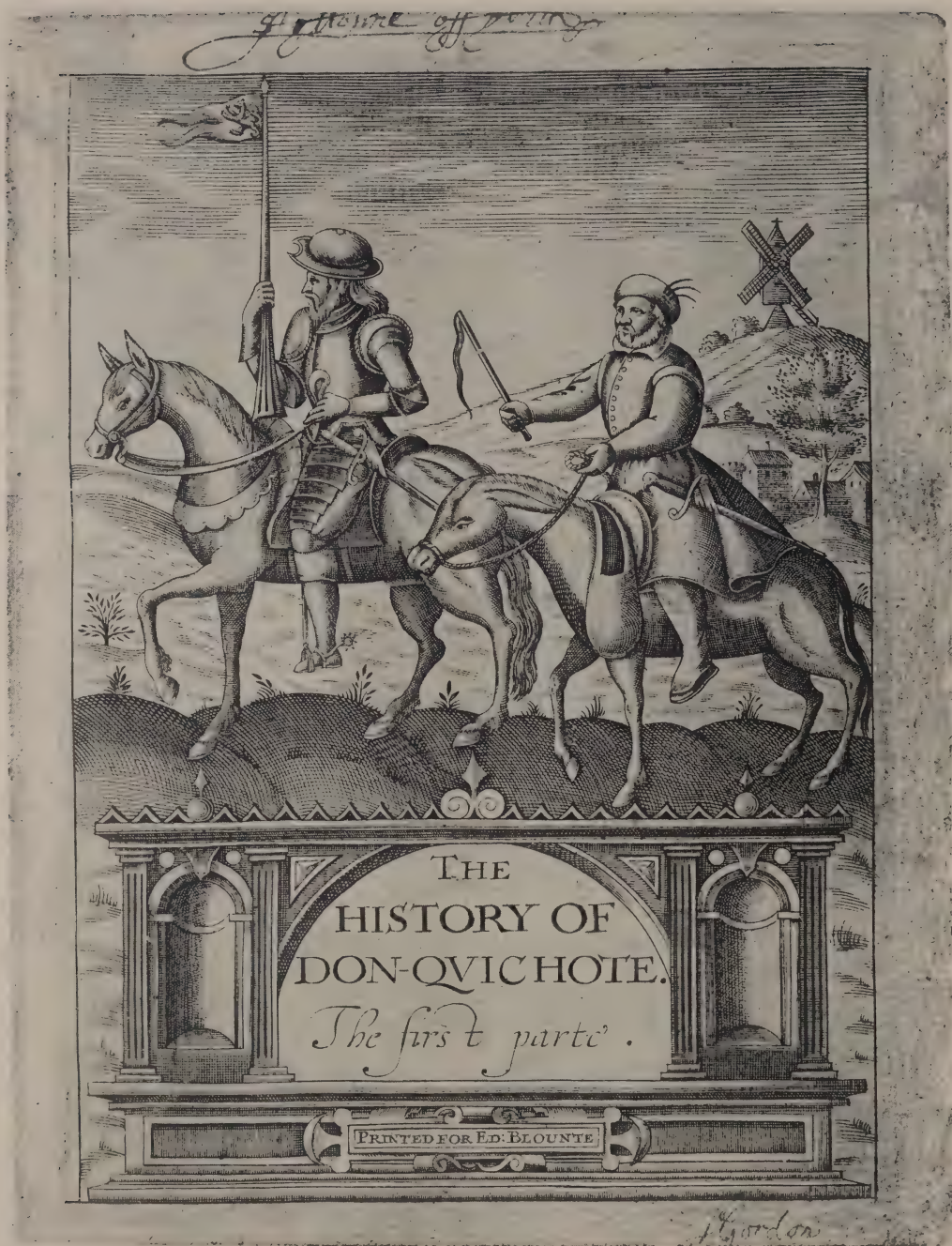
Printed by Edw. Griffin, for John Gwillim,
and are to be sold at his shop in
Britaines-Burse. 1615.

BROADSIDES AND BALLADS.

- 1697 ALBEMARLE (Duke of). A PANEGYRICK, on His Grace the Duke of Albemarle, installed Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, May the 11th, 1682.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed by N. Thompson, near the Cross-Keys in Fetter-Lane, 1682. £1 10s
- 1698 AS BOB AS A ROBIN: or, All's well that Ends well.
Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
Printed in the Year 1712. £2 2s
Scarce broadside, sometimes ascribed to Swift.
- 1699 THE BALLAD OF THE CLOAK: or, The Cloaks Knavery, to the Tune of 'From Hunger and Cold,' or 'Packington's Pound.'
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Three lines of musical score at head.
Reprinted, Corrected, Revised, and enlarged, by the Author, (1680). £1 15s
- 1700 BEDLOE (William). ENGLANDS OBLIGATIONS TO CAPTAIN WILLIAM BEDLOWE, the grand Discoverer of this most Horrid Plot.
Broadside in verse, Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet.
London, Printed by Th. Dawks, His Majesties British Printer at the Blew Anchor at the West End of St. Pauls, 1679. £1 1s
Only a fair copy. Imprint cut into and outer edge worn.
- 1701 THE CAR-MAN'S POEM: or, Advice to a Nest of Scriblers.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. *No Imprint.* (1679). £1 10s
- 1702 CELLIER (Elizabeth). THE DEVIL PURSUED: or, The right Saddle laid upon the right Mare. A Satyr upon Madam Celliers standing in the Pillory, being convicted for the Publishing of a late Lying Scandalous Pamphlet, called 'Malice Defeated,' &c. By a Person of Quality.
Broadside in verse, Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for T. Davies, 1680. £3 3s
Elizabeth Cellier (fl. 1680), noted London midwife. Embraced Romanism after marrying Peter Cellier, a Frenchman. Became agent for distributing alms to the "popish plot" prisoners, 1679. Acquitted in 1680 on a charge of plotting the king's murder ("the Meal-tub plot"); fined and pilloried for libel in her pamphlet concerning her trial ("Malice defeated").
- 1703 ——— TO THE PRAISE OF MRS. CELLIER THE POPISH MIDWIFE: on her incomparable book.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for Walter Davis in Amen-Corner, 1680. £2 10s
Concerning Elizabeth Cellier's book "Malice defeated," published after her acquittal in the "Meal-tub plot."



Woodcut Frontispiece from VORAGINE'S "LEGENDA AUREA."
London, Wynkyn de Worde. 1527.
See Item No. 1603.



BROADSIDES—*continued.*

- 1704 CERTAIN MEDITATIONS UPON JUSTIFICATION BY CHRIST ALONE.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed by J. Astwood, 1683. £1 5s
 A little worn in the fold.
- 1705 THE CONDEMNATION OF WHIG AND TORY.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for R. W. in the Year, 1681. £1 10s
- 1706 A CONGRATULATORY POEM ON THE SAFE ARRIVAL OF HIS GRACE JAMES DUKE OF MONMOUTH, at Utretch, on Saturday Sept. 27, 1679.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed by Nat. Thompson at the Keys in Fetter-lane, 1679. £1 10s
- 1707 A DIALOGUE BETWEEN THE GHOSTS OF THE TWO LAST PARLIAMENTS, at their late Interview.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in three columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for Al. Banks, Anno Domini, 1681. £1 10s
- 1708 THE ESSEX BALLAD. To an old Tune new reviv'd.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in three columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, 1680. £1 5s
- 1709 GENEVA AND ROME: or, The Zeal of both boiling over: In an earnest Dispute for Praeceminence, carried on at a Private Conference between Jack a Presbyter and Believe-All a Papist.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed in the Year, 1679. £1 10s
- 1710 THE GENIUS OF TRUE ENGLISH-MEN.
 Broadside in verse. Printed within an ornamental border on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for Francis Smith at the Elephant and Castle in Cornhill (1679). £2 2s
- 1711 J. (T.). THE NATURE, NOBILITY, CHARACTER, AND COMPLEMENT OF MONEY.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet.
London, Printed for William Thackeray at the Angel in Duck-lane, 1684. £1 10s

BROADSIDES—*continued.*

- 1712 A LETTER OF ADVICE TO THE FREEHOLDERS OF ENGLAND, concerning the Election of Members to serve in the Ensuing Parliament.
Broadside. Printed on both sides of a folio sheet, *uncut*.
Printed for S. Popping, 1710. 18s
- 1713 THE LITANY OF THE D. OF B.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
No Imprint (c. 1678). £1 5s
- 1714 THE LOYAL PROTESTANTS NEW LITANY.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for T. Davis, 1680. £1 5s
- 1715 THE LOYAL SUBJECTS LITANY.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed in the Year 1680. £1 5s
- 1716 THE SECOND PART OF THE LOYAL SUBJECTS' LITANY.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for B. Tooke, 1680. £1 5s
- 1717 A NEW SATYR, written against Lying.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet.
London, Printed by G. C. for the Author, 1682. £1 5s
- 1718 ON THE ARRIVAL OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS, THE DUKE INTO ENGLAND. A Congratulatory Poem.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for G. K., 1680. £1 10s
Concerning the restoration of James II.
- 1719 OATES (Titus). DR. OTES HIS VINDICATION: Affirming that his Evidence is not to be baffled by the Papists. And shewing the Power that induced him to Discover this Damnable Hellish Popish Plot against the Protestant Religion.
Broadside in verse. Printed in three columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed by T. Dawks, in the Year, 1680. £1 10s
- 1720 A PANEGYRICK TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS. Upon His Majesties late Declaration.
Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for the Author, Sold by J. G., 1680. £1 15s

BROADSIDES—*continued.*

- 1721 A PARALLEL BETWIXT POPERY AND PHANATICISM, in a Letter to T.S.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in three columns on one side of a large folio sheet.
Printed for E. Poole (1679). £1 10s
- 1722 A POEM ON THE HAPPY RETURN OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS FROM SCOTLAND.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed by N. T., Anno Domini 1680. £1 10s
- 1723 POOR ROBBIN TURNED SEEKER; or, The Seekers Ballad. To the Tune of 49.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in black letter in four columns on an oblong folio sheet. Musical score at the head of the first two columns.
No imprint. (c. 1674). £1 5s
- 1724 THE PROTESTANTS PETITION AGAINST POPERY, &c.
 Broadside in verse. The two parts, printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet.
London, Printed for B. Tooke, 1681. £1 5s
- 1725 THE SALSBURY-BALLAD, with the Learned Commentaries of a Friend to the Authors Memory.
 Broadside in verse. Printed in three columns on one side of a large folio sheet.
London, Printed for Henry Brome, at the Gun at the West-end of St. Paul's Church-Yard, 1676. £1 15s
In all probability by Walter Pope, a contemporary hand having written "Dr. Pope" after the title.
- 1726 A SATYR AGAINST MARRIAGE: Directed to that Inconsiderable Animal, called Husband.
 Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a folio sheet.
No imprint. (1682). £1 10s
- 1727 THE STORY OF TYPHON.
 Broadside in verse. Printed on both sides of a folio sheet.
London, Printed for John Morphew, 1711. £2 2s
Sometimes attributed to Swift.
- 1728 THE TALE OF A DOLPHIN.
 Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a narrow folio sheet.
London, Printed in the Year 1710. £2 2s
Sometimes attributed to Swift. Slightly cut into at the top and laid down.

BROADSIDE ELEGIES.

- 1729 ANNE (Queen). DAWES (Sir William). AN ELEGY on the never enough to be Lamented Death of our late Gracious Sovereign Lady Anne, Queen of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, who Departed this Life, at Her Royal Palace of Kensington, the first Day of August, 1714, in the 49th Year of Her Age, and the 13th of Her Reign.

FIRST EDITION.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Surrounded by elaborate "Memento Mari."

London, Printed by John Applebee near Bridwell-ridge, in Black-Fryars. (1714). £5 5s

Sir William Dawes (1671-1724), archbishop of York. In 1696 he was made chaplain in ordinary to William III, and subsequently chaplain to Queen Anne, with whom he was a great favourite. On the death of the Queen he was appointed one of the regents of the kingdom until the new king's arrival in England. He wrote several poetical and prose works of considerable merit. The above Elegy must be very scarce.

- 1730 ——— AN ELEGY on the Much Lamented Death of Her most Sacred Majesty Queen Anne: Who departed this Mortal Life at Her Palace at Kensington, on Sunday, the 1st of this Instant August, 1714, in the 50th Year of Her Age.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. With elaborate pictorial woodcut border; at the head is depicted the "Lying-in-State," the sides containing biblical scenes from the life of Christ, at the foot the funeral hearse drawn by black horses.

London, Printed by J. Read in White-Fryers. (1714). £3 3s

- 1731 BEAUFORD (Duke of). AN ELEGY on the Much Lamented Death of His Grace, the Duke of Beauford, who Departed this Life, at His Seat at Badminton in Gloucestershire, on Sunday, the 21st of January, 1700. Being near the 70 year of His Age.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. Within wide black border, containing elaborate "Memento Mori."

London, Printed by J. Wilkins, near Fleet-street, 1700. £2 15s

- 1732 BEDDINGFIELD (Thomas). AN ELEGY on the Death of Thomas Beddingfield, Esq.; who was Murdered by Mr. Thomas Barney, at Norwich, on Sunday, the 20th day of July, 1684.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Within black border, having the usual "Memento Mori" at the head.

London, Printed by George Croom, at the Blue-Ball, over against Baynard's Castle, in Thames-Street, 1684. £2 15s

- 1733 BEDLOE (William). AN ELEGIE UPON THE TRULY WORTHY, and ever-to-be-remembered Loyal Gentleman, Captain Will. Bedlow, England's Deliverer, and the Scourge of Rome.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Black border, with 'Memento Mori' at head.

London, Printed for Langley Curtiss, 1680. £2 15s

BROADSIDE ELEGIES: BEDLOE (William)—*continued*.

- 1734 ——— AN ELEGY UPON THE UNFORTUNATE DEATH OF CAPTIAN WILLIAM BEDLOE, who Departed this Life, on Fryday the Twentieth of August, 1680.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within black border, with the usual 'Memento Mori' at the head.

London, Printed for John Gay, at the Flying-Horse between St. Dunstan's Church in Chancery-Lane, 1680. £2 15s

William Bedloe (1650-1680), adventurer; concerned in making revelations of the "Popish Plot."

- 1735 BURGESS (Daniel). A NEW ELEGY UPON THE DEATH OF MR. DANIEL BURGESS, the famous Dissenting Teacher, who Died at his House in Boswel-Court, on Monday the 26th of January, 1713, in the 65th Year of his Age.

Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a large quarto sheet. Elaborate borders and head-piece containing scenes of the Funeral, Death carrying off various dignitaries, etc.

London, Printed by J. Read in White-Fryers, Fleetstreet, (1713). £3 3s

Daniel Burgess (1645-1713), presbyterian minister, became very famous as a preacher, and his exuberant animation was something new in the London pulpit. Swift speaks of his ability. On one occasion his meeting-house in Lincoln's Inn Fields was gutted by the Sacheverell mob, who made a bonfire of its pulpit and other fittings.

- 1736 CAPEL (Arthur, Lord). AN ELEGY UPON THAT RENOWNED HERO AND CAVALIER, the Lord Capel, who (for his Loyalty) was Barbarously Murther'd in the Palace-Yard at Westminster, on the (9th) day of (March) 16(48).

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within black border.

London, Printed by H. Hills, Jur. for W. Davis, 1683. £4 4s

One of the staunchest supporters of Charles I, Arthur Lord Capel of Hadham (1610?-1649), continued the Civil War even after it was clearly lost. He finally surrendered at Colchester, and was impeached on the charge of high treason. He escaped from the Tower, but was recaptured and hurriedly beheaded on March 8th, 1649. His son was created Earl of Essex at the Restoration. The present elegy was published, if not actually composed, in 1683, while Essex was in the Tower charged with high treason, and was doubtless intended to remind the Court of his father's services to the House of Stuart and so perhaps mitigate his sentence. The Earl, however, committed suicide in July, in order to prevent a bill of attainder and so save his estates for his family.

Listed by Draper in his "Century of Broadside Elegies," No. 74.

- 1737 CARYL (Joseph). THE MOCK-ELOGIE ON THE FUNERAL OF MR. CARYL, Gloriously solemnized, February 25th, 1672-3 by an unparallel'd Concourse and Attendance of all Sorts and Sects of People.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Signed E. H. and within black border.

(No Imprint) Circa 1673. £2 15s

Joseph Caryl (1602-1673), independent divine, chaplain to Oliver Cromwell in Scotland.

BROADSIDE ELEGIES—*continued*.

- 1738 AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF HIGH-CHURCH PASSIVE-OBEDIENCE AND NON-RESISTANCE: which departed this Life on the 22nd of this Instant March 1709-10, much lamented.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within wide black border, containing 'Memento Mori.'

London, Printed and Sold by B. Bragge, at the Raven in Peter-Noster-Row, 1710. £2 2s

- 1739 AN ELEGY ON THE MUCH LAMENTED DEATH OF THE BILL TO PREVENT OCCASIONAL CONFIRMITY, that Departed this Life the Third Time at Westminster, December the 15th, 1704.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Within black border, 'Memento Mori' at head.

London, Printed in the Year 1704. £2 2s

- 1740 ESSEX (Earl of). AN ELEGIE ON THE EARL OF ESSEX, who Cut his own Throat in the Tower, July 13, 1683.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet.

London, Printed for J. Smith, 1683. £3 10s

Arthur Capel, Earl of Essex (1631-1683). Associated himself with Monmouth's schemes, 1682; his share in them betrayed by Lord Howard of Escrick; sent to the Tower where on July 13th, 1683, he was found with his throat cut, having probably committed suicide, though many thought him assassinated by order of the Court.

- 1741 FINCH (Heneage, Lord). AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF THE RIGHT HONOURABLE HENEAGE LORD FINCH, Baron of Daventry, High Chancellour of England, Earl of Nottingham; and one of the Lords of the most Honourable Privy-Council; who Departed this Life, Decemb. 18, 1682.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Black border, with the usual 'Memento Mori' at head.

Printed for J. Deacon, at the Rainbow, near St. Andrews-Church, in Holbourn, 1682. £3 3s

- 1742 FITZ-HARRIS (Edward). AN ELEGIE UPON EDWARD FITZ-HARRIS, Executed at Tyburn for High-Treason upon Friday, July 1, 1681.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. With black column between.

London, Printed for Thomas Snowden, An. 1681. £2 10s

Edward Fitz-Harris (1648?-1681), involved in Roman Catholic plots against the throne.

Listed by Draper in his "Century of Broadside Elegies," No. 66.

BROADSIDE ELEGIES—*continued*.

- 1743 GEORGE (Prince of Denmark). THE COURT IN TEARS: or, a New Elegy on the much Lamented Death of His Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark, who departed this Life at the Palace of Kensington, on Thursday the 28th of October, 1708, in the 55th Year of His Age, to the great Grief of Her Majesty, and the whole Nation in general.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. With very elaborate black borders, at the head representations of the 'Lying-in-State,' at the sides and in the centre Death is depicted carrying off a King, Quene, Harould, Captain, Mayor, Physition, Judge, Infant, Bishop, Sage and Begar. At the foot a representation of the coffin drawn by black horses.

London, Printed by J. Read, behind the Green-Dragon-Tavern in Fleet-street, 1708. £4 10s

- 1744 ——— AN ELEGY ON THE MUCH LAMENTED DEATH OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE GEORGE OF DENMARK, Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, and Generalissimo of all Her Majesty's Forces, &c., who departed this Life October 28, 1708.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Within black border, head-piece of skeletons and grave digging impliments.

London, Printed and Sold by B. Bragge in Pater-Noster-Row, 1708.

£3 3s

- 1745 HANLAN (Redmon ô). AN ELEGY ON THE MODERN HEROE, Redmon ô Hanlan, surnamed The Tory.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. [No Imprint] (1681).

£1 10s

- 1746 HARMAN (Sir John). ON THE DEATH OF THAT NOBLE KNIGHT SR. JOHN HARMAN, who Died the 11th of October, 1673.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. Within black border.

London, Printed in the Year, 1673.

£3 15s

Sir John Harman, famous admiral, commanded the Welcome at Portland, 1653, served under Blake at Santa Cruz, commander-in-chief in West Indies, destroying French fleet at Martinique and capturing Cayenne and Surinam, 1667, vice-admiral in second action with De Ruyter, 1673, etc.

- 1747 HOARE (James). AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF JAMES HOARE, ESQ.; Master Controller of his Majesty's Mint at the Tower, who departed this Life November the 24th, 1696.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large quarto sheet. Within wide black border, with elaborate 'Memento Mori.'

No Imprint (1696).

£3 10s

BROADSIDE ELEGIES—*continued*.

- 1748 HOLLES (Denzil, Lord). AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF DENZIL LD. HOLLES, who departed this Life the 10th day of Feb. 1649.

Broadside in verse. Printed on one side of a small folio sheet. Within black border containing the usual 'Memento Mori.'

(*No Imprint*) *Circa*, 1680.

£2 2s

Denzil Holles, first Baron Holles of Ifield (1599-1680), famous statesman.

- 1749 JAMES II. AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF JAMES THE SECOND, Late King of England, who Departed this Mortal Life, on Wednesday the 3d of Septemb. at St. Germain-En Lay, at 3 o'clock in the morning in the Sixty Eight Year of His Age, 1701.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within wide black border, containing figures of 'Father Time,' etc. The head-piece shows a somewhat incongruous economy, with its "W. R.", standing presumably for William Rex, and doubtless borrowed from the heading of some broadside proclamation.

London, Printed by H. H. in Black-Fryers, 1701.

£4 4s

Listed by Draper in his "Century of Broadside Elegies," No. 88.

- 1750 ——— AN ODE: or, Elegy on the Death of James the Second, Late King of England, who Departed this Life at St. Germans, in France, on Wednesday the Fourth of September, 1701. In the Sixty Seventh Year of his Age, 11 Months, and a 11 Days. Written by J. M. Gent.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within wide black border, with very ornate head piece. This latter is not without symbolic significance, with its picture of fickle Fortune balanced upon a shell and its Biblical motto: "Vanity brings vanity, and all things are vanity."

London, Printed for Robert Williams near the Temple, 1701. £4 4s

The author "J. M." is hopelessly elusive; but the tone of the elegy suggests that he was not one of James' non-juror partisans; he may have been a dissenter like the J. M. who in the same year supplied an introductory address to Mead's "Young Man's Remembrancer"; but he was more probably one of several Anglican clerics who were writing occasional and devotional pieces at the time.

Listed by Draper in his "Century of Broadside Elegies," No. 89.

- 1751 ——— AN ELEGY, ON THE DEATH OF THE LATE KING JAMES, who departed this Life, at his Pallace of St. Germain in France, on Wednesday the 3d of September 1701, in the 68th Year of his Age.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within wide black border, containing elaborate 'Memento Mori.'

London, Printed by J. Wilkins, near Fleet-street, 1701.

£3 10s

- 1752 JONES (Sir William). AN ELEGY ON THE TRULY HONOURED AND GREATLY BELOVED SIR WILLIAM JONES, who Deceased May the 2d. 1682.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. Black border.

London, Printed by Langley Curtis, 1682.

£3 3s

Sir William Jones (1631-1682), lawyer, directed "Popish plot" prosecutions. The "Bull-faced Jonas" of Dryden's "Absalom and Achitophel."

BROADSIDE ELEGIES—*continued*.

- 1753 L'ESTRANGE (Sir Roger). AN ELEGY ON THE MUCH LAMENTED DEATH OF SIR ROGER L'ESTRANGE, who Departed this Life on Monday the 11th day of December 1704. In the 88th Year of his Age.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large 4to sheet. Within black border, and with the usual 'Memento Mori.'

London, Printed by D. Edwards in the Year 1704. £3 15s

Sir Roger L'Estrange (1616-1704), tory journalist and pamphleteer. Appointed surveyor of printing presses and a licenser of the press, 1663.

- 1754 LOYD (Rev. Dr.). AN ELEGY ON THE MUCH LAMENTED DEATH OF WRIOTHSELEY DUKE OF BEDFORD, and Son of the Honourable Lord Russel, beheaded in Lincolns-Inn-Fields, who being lately ill of the Small-Pox, departed this Life at Southampton-House, in Bloomsbury-square, on Saturday the 26th of May 1711, in the 31st Year of his Age. By the Reverend Dr. Loyd.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Black borders and head-piece containing elaborate depictions of Death, Fortune, etc.

Printed for J. Smith in Fleet-street (1711). £3 3s

- 1754a MARY II. IN OBITUM & EXEQUIAS ILLUSTRISSIMAE MARIAE NUPER ANGLIAE, &c. Reginae (Quae Sacrosanctam animam lubenter efflavit vicesimo octavo die Decembris Anno Dom. 1694. Regnique Sexto).

Broadside Elegy on the Death of Mary II, Queen of England. Printed in both Latin and English versions in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within black border.

Sold by John Whitlock near Stationers-Hall, 1695. £4 4s

- 1755 PARTRIDGE (Nathaniel). AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF THAT EMINENT MINISTER OF THE GOSPEL MR. NATHANIEL PARTRIDGE, who Exchanged Mortality for Immortality, Aug. 6, (84.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a folio sheet. Within black border.

London, Printed by J. How, and Sold by John Pattman, at the Popes-head, in Moor-fields, 1684. £1 10s

Black border cut from one side.

- 1756 MERRY (Thomas). AN ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF THOMAS MERRY, Esq., of St. Ann's Lane, who died on St. Bartholomew's Day, 1682.

Broadside in verse. Printed in two columns on one side of a large folio sheet. Within black border.

No Imprint (1682). £3 3s

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Lady.
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Ballad, "Consider Well, etc."



There is in the west syde of Mayle
Down at the rote of Desulus y colde
A lusty playne/habundaunt of vitayle
Wher many a to wy a tour thou maist behold
That souled were/in tyme of fathers olde
And many a nother delectable spght
And Saluces/ this noble countre hyghe

A Marques whylom was in that londe
As were his worthy elders him byfore
And obesaunt aye redy to his honde
Were al his lieges/bothe lesse and more
Thus in delyte he lyued/ and hath done pore
Beloued & drad/ through fauour of fortune
Bothe of his lordes and of his comune

Therwith he was/ as to speke of synage
The gentylest yborne of al Lomberdy
A sapre person/ a stronge/ and yong of age
And ful of honour and curtesye
Discrete pnowe/his countre for to gye
Saue in some thynges he was to blame
And Walter was this yonge lordes name

I blame him thus/ that he conspyred nought
In tyme comyng/ what him might betyde

But on his lust present was all his thoughe
And for to haue and hunt on eueryspde
Weluy all other cures lette he slyde
And eke he ne wolde/ that was worst of all
Wedde no wise/ for ought that myght befall

Dney that poynt his people bare so fore
That flockmele on a day to him they went
And one of hem/ that wisest was of lore
(Dr els that the lorde wolde best assent
That he shulde tell him what his people mēt
Dr els coude he shewe suche matere)
He to the Marques sayd/ as ye shullen here.

Co noble Marques/ your humanyte
Assureth vs/ and peueeth vs hardynesse
As ofte tyme as is necessaryte
That we may to you tell our heynnesse
Accepteth lorde of your gentylnesse
That we to you with pitous hert playne
And lette your eares nat my voice disayne

All haue I nat to done in this matere
More than another hath in this place
yet for as moche/ as ye my lorde so dere
Haue alway shewed me fauour and grace
I dare

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